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VIOLETS.

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...no change from his ordinary appearance in the prisoner. At 3.40 p. m. the justices returned to the court room, the prisoner being in the dock and all the counsel in their seats. Judge Colt ordered the marshal to bring in the jury and after they had filed in the clerk called the roll and they responded to their names.

Then with the usual solemn formalities the clerk ordered Bram to stand and raise his right hand while the foreman was asked what verdict had been decided upon.

"Guilty," responded the foreman and in this reply each of the other jurors acquiesced.

There was a slight disturbance among the spectators and cries of "order" from the officers, while Judge Webb called for perfect silence as the jurors and counsel resumed their seats.

Bram never faltered for an instant. He remained standing as though partially dazed for some time after the announcement was made and until the court directed him to be seated. Then Judge Colt said to Mr. Cotter that he would be allowed any reasonable time within which to file exceptions.

Mr. Cotter spoke a few words, his voice broken with emotion and his hand trembling as he laid it on the rail in front of the jury. He was given a week within which to prepare and file exceptions to the verdict and such further time as he may deem necessary. Except that Bram's face was somewhat more flushed than usual he showed no signs of nervousness or weakness, although it was plain that it took a tremendous effort for him to appear calm. A minute after the verdict had been announced, he was seated in his customary attitude in the dock exhibiting no more sign of emotion than if the verdict had been of acquittal.

"If I have got to die, I thank God that I shall die an innocent man. I have met more trouble in this world than usually falls to the lot of most men, and if I have to bear this much in addition I shall do it as an innocent man should." This was the declaration of Bram, made while the tears streamed down his cheeks as he sat in the dock, branded by the law a convicted murderer. The tears chased down his cheeks as he gazed into the faces of those around him, and then turning to Deputy Marshal Waters, who had him in charge all the time, he held out his right hand to have the manacle placed on his wrist.

In a moment he had recovered his composure and brushing the tears from his eyes, the same familiar smile on his face, he was the same calm, collected, unemotional Bram with whom the public has been made familiar since the commencement of his trial.

A cousin of Juror Blake at this point told himself the death of his sister while he was on the jury.

Mr. Cotter and Mr. French, after shaking Bram warmly by the hand and bidding him keep up his spirits and be of ...

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...New York, January ... manager Thomas O'Rourke, of the Broadway Athletic Club, Referee Dick Roche and prize fighter George Justice were arrested Saturday night for being contributory to the injury of James Cully, of Boston, received in the prize fight at the club Saturday night, and were today held in $3,000 bail each. A certificate was shown from the St. Vincent Hospital to the effect that Dully was suffering from cerebral hemorrhage and his death might be expected at any moment.

Lawyer Friend, who appeared in court for the prisoners, declared that no blow was struck in the fight heavy enough to cause the injuries from which Dally was suffering. Captain Groo denied the truth of this statement, but Acting Police Inspector Allaire said he thought the lawyer had only told the truth. The prisoners were released on bail.

The surgeons have little hope of Dully's recovery.

RAILROAD COLLISION

Two Express Trains Come Together—Engineer Hurt.

White Plains, N. Y., Jan. 2. A collision occurred this evening on the New York & Harlem railroad at Unionville between two Pawling express trains running in opposite directions. The engines were thrown over, blocking the road, and Engineer George Upson was badly hurt.

TUBERCULOSIS AT WESTBROOK

Libby's Fine Herd of 40 Will be Killed.

Portland, Me., Jan. 2. The cattle commissioners visited Alonzo Libby's herd at Westbrook to-day. They killed one cow and found it afflicted with tuberculosis. The rest of the herd of 40 will probably be killed.

Herd Will be Killed Today.

Westbrook, Jan. 3. Cattle Commissioners Deering and Bailey, with O. D. Clason, E. Dudley Freeman and Edward S. Marshall of the Governor's council, Saturday inspected Alonzo Libby's herd of cattle afflicted with tuberculosis. They decided to have the herd killed Monday.

BOY DROWNED.

Went Into a Hole in the Ice.

Westbrook, Me., Jan. 2. The thirteen year old son of Mr. Welch, foreman in the South Windham woolen mill, was drowned this forenoon while skating on the river at South Windham. He skated into a hole in the ice in sight of his house where his mother was standing.

WARMER

And Fair for Today.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WEATHER BUREAU.

Washington, Jan. 3, 3 P. M.

Forecast for Monday: For New England, fair and warmer, ... westerly winds ...

Washington, Jan. 2. The debt statement issued this afternoon shows a net decrease in the public debt less cash in the treasury during December of $2,339,577.48. The interest-bearing debt increased $170. The interest-bearing debt is $847,364,600; debt on which interest ceased since maturity $1,383,070.26; debt bearing no interest $373,502,201.14; total $1,221,249,861.40.

Receipts and Expenditures.

The comparative statement of the receipts and expenditures of the United States for the month of December, 1896, and for the first six months of the fiscal year shows that retrenchment has been practiced all along the line. For the first time in a long period a surplus of receipts over expenditures is shown. This applies to the month of December and not to the half year. It amounts to $2,041,440 and is accounted for by the receipts from the recent sale of first mortgage bonds of the Central Pacific, Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific railroads and by smaller interest payments required.

The deficiency for the six months ended Dec. 31, 1896, amounts to $37,902,396. During that period the receipts were $157,507,603, a falling off of $10,040,450 as compared with the last six months of 1895. The expenditures for the six months were $195,410,000, against $182,962,760.

THE INSANE HOSPITAL.

Whole Number Under Treatment In 1896 Was 946.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 3. The report of the Maine Insane Hospital shows 119 men and 91 women were admitted during the year, making the whole number under treatment for 1896, 946, (522 men and 424 women). Of these 237 have been discharged, leaving 382 men and 327 women at close of year. Supt. Sanborn recommends separate buildings for the criminal insane, some system for the employment of the insane and a summer home at the seashore for convalescents.

HILL'S SUCCESSOR.

Platt has Call on Most of Legislators who Answer.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 2. The canvass of the Albany Evening Journal of the choice of the members of the legislature for United States Senator to be elected Jan. 19, to succeed David B. Hill shows to date that 73 members favor Thos. C. Platt; one Senator is for Jos. H. Choate and 16 are undecided. It will take 76 votes to nominate in the caucus and 101 votes will be necessary to elect a United States Senator.

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...chapter ... Bachelder at Sebago a week ago, which resulted in Bachelder's death, took place this morning at Sebago when Walter S. Martin, the principal witness in the case, hung himself and is now dead.

Dec. 24th Bachelder was at Martin's house. Leslie A. Kenison had trouble with Bachelder and struck him over the head with a sled stake. Then Bachelder started for home and being intoxicated and it being a very cold night he froze to death and was found Dec. 27, in the morning in a dying condition. He expired without giving the cause of his death.

A coroner's inquest was in progress Friday and Saturday. The jury yesterday found that Kenison hit Bachelder with a sled stake, but that the wounds were not sufficient to cause death. Kenison was arrested for assault and was held in $500 yesterday. Walter S. Martin and Henry Flint were the principal witnesses against Kenison, both having witnessed Kenison's assault on Bachelder. Martin and Flint started for home last night. They went to Westbrook on an electric car and there took a horse which they had left here.

They paid little attention and he left saying he was going to his own house. Later he was found in Flint's barn hanging from a beam. He had tied the rope to a beam over the hay mow, and then put the other end around his neck and jumped from the beam or higher part of the mow. When found his feet were nearly touching the hay mow and he was dead. The motive for the deed was undoubtedly worry over the tragedy with which he was concerned. There is no ground for thinking that he had any closer connection with Bachelder's death than has been stated.

Flint and Martin are brothers-in-law. They drove to Flint's house, who lives with his father. Mrs. Martin and her children had been staying there while her husband was in Portland and Martin stayed there last night. This morning about 7 o'clock Martin got up, kissed his little daughter and remarked to the family that they would never see him again.

H. J. COTTRELL WATERLOGGED.

Abandoned at Sea and is Dangerous to Navigation.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 3. The British steamer Cass reports that December 31 in lat. 30.14 north, long. 70.08 west, she passed the two masted schooner H. J. Cottrell waterlogged, deck awash, fore and topmasts standing, all gear and gaff gone, the bowsprit and half of the jib ... standing, rags of sails ...

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...preferred...	78	...preferred...	15½
Mo. Pacific...	20	Western Union...	85½
N. J. Central...			
Northern Pacific...	13¼		
...preferred...	22		

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2. FLOUR—receipts 21,989 pkgs; exports 3357 bbls 3304 sacks; sales 4,000; dull; steady. Winter wheat, low grades, 2.20@3.30; fair to fancy, 3.35@4.75; patents, 4.00@5.25; Minnesota clear, 3.50@4.00; straights, 4.00@4.40; patents, 4.25@5.25; low extras 2.20@3.30; City Mills, 4.00@5.00; City Mill patents 5.10@5.35; rye mixtures, 3.20@3.90; superfine, 2.10@3.00; fine, 1.80@3.00.

SOUTHERN FLOUR—dull; steady. Common to fair extras 3.00@3.55; good to choice do, 3.55@3.85.

RYE FLOUR—steady; quiet; 2.85@3.15.

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CORN MEAL—dull; steady; yellow western 1.00@1.05; brandywine 2.25.

RYE—dull; western 45@46 afloat.

BARLEY—firm; cif Buffalo opening of navigation.

WHEAT—Receipts 6375; exports 2,000; sales 0000; dull; firmer. No. 1 Red f o b, 102@100; No. 1 northern, ...

CORN—Receipts 101,775; exports 27,410; sales 00,000; dull; firm; No. 2, 29½@30; elevator afloat, 30½@30.

OATS—Receipts 45000; exports 3975; sales 24,000; quiet; firm. No. 2, 22½@23; white, 24½@25; No. 3, 20½@20; white, 24@25; mixed western, 22@23; white do, 23@26; white State 23@30; No. 2 Chicago, 23½@30.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2. FLOUR—dull; firm; hard wheat bakers 3.00@3.50 in sacks; soft wheat bakers 3.00@3.10; red dog, 1.80@1.90; winter wheat in wood 3.45.

WHEAT—No. 2 Spring, 80@81; No. 2 Red, 91½@91.

CORN—No. 2, 22½@23½.

OATS—No. 2, 15½@16.

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...therefrom the words "designated as 1st, 2d, and 3d Vice Presidents, respectively."

In Article VII, entitled "Duties of the Vice Presidents," change the title from "Presidents" to "Vice-President," and change in the first line thereof, the word "Presidents" to "President," ... in the last paragraph thereof, beginning with the words "In the absence of ..."

In Article VIII, 2d paragraph, entitled "Duties of the Treasurer," after the word "He shall sign" insert the words "all stock certificates."

In Article XI, strike out the words "or by the second or third Vice-Presidents."

In Article XII, add to the end thereof, the words "or of the Executive Committee" and in the body thereof, after the words "the Board of Directors" insert the words "or of the Executive Committee," and at the end of said clause insert the words "or of said committee." Also strike out the words "of the Board of Directors" and the words "of said Board."

In Article XIII, entitled "Seal of Corporation," strike out all after the word "Vice-President" where it first occurs.

In Article XIV, entitled "Stock Certificates," strike out the words "or the second or third Vice-President, upon the conditions set forth in Article VI of these by-laws, as attested," and insert the word "and" ... and at the time of the issue of any certificate it shall be necessary for ... of ... owner, or his duly authorized agent."

In Article XVIII, entitled "Executive Committee," after the words in the first line, "executive committee," insert words "not five," and strike out from said article all after the words "may determine."

In Article XX strike out all after the words "shall be in the," and insert instead thereof the words "city of New York in the state of New York."

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Shoe Factory Discussion.

We apprehend there is but one opinion among the business men of the city concerning the establishment of a new shoe factory here. The more industries of this character we can get, giving employment to many hands and distributing a large sum of money in wages to be circulated among our traders, the greater the prosperity of the city. The question is, however, can the city build a factory and place it at the disposal of a private corporation? There are legal complications involved unaffected by the fact that such an investment might in the end prove an excellent thing for the city. If it is possible for the city to encourage the establishment of a new factory in this way it seems to us that there ought to be no question as to the tenants.

Messrs. Parker & Peakes have for years conducted such a factory in our city. They are energetic and progressive business men, who, from a small beginning, have developed a large and important plant in Bangor—a plant that has been a credit as well as an advantage to the city. They are ready and anxious to enlarge their business and have made formal application to the City Government to be considered in this matter, stating their desire to occupy the new factory, if built, and thus increase their business, it being their intention to continue the present plant just as they have done in the past. The Boston firm turns out the same product now manufactured by Parker & Peakes and would thus become a competitor as against our local firm. If the city is going to encourage industry it should give the preference to our own citizens, especially when the local firm does not ask for any different conditions from those imposed by the Boston firm.

Bram Pronounced Guilty.

The terrible tragedy enacted on the Herbert Fuller, including the brutal murder of Captain Nash and his wife, as well as the second mate, has for some time attracted public attention, and the trial of Mate Bram has been followed with intense interest. The verdict of guilty rendered Saturday after the jury had been out twenty-six hours, came somewhat in the nature of a surprise. The prevailing impression was that the trial would end in a disagreement. This was not due so much to any feeling of strong doubt as to the guilt of the accused, but rather to the lack of positive evidence, or, at least, what seemed to be a lack of positive evidence in the reports of the trial, connecting Bram with the crime. But of course it has to be remembered that the members of the jury were in a position to enable them to weigh with care the evidence as presented by the witnesses, while the public can only judge from the published reports.

To those who have followed the case there were some weak points in the defence that were not developed as they might have been by the prosecution. Bram has shown himself on the stand to be a man of remarkable nerve and a good deal more than average intelligence. Yet at the time of the commission of this crime, although he was the ranking officer after the death of Captain Nash, he permitted the colored steward to take charge of the vessel. Something had broken for the time being the cool nerve so pronounced all through the trial. What was ...

Pleasant Testimonial.

After a service of sixteen years as Register of Probate in Kennebec County, Mr. Howard Owen, having declined another term, was succeeded at the opening of the new year by Mr. W. A. Newcombe, the well-known journalist. On turning the office over to his successor the other county officials gave expression to their esteem and friendship for Mr. Owen by the presentation of a magnificent gold watch and chain. The watch was appropriately inscribed and attached to the chain was a handsome keystone charm, emblematic of the Royal Arch Chapter of Masonry of which Mr. Owen is a member. The presentation speech was made by Judge Andrews who referred to the faithful service of the recipient, Mr. Owen not having lost a single court day during his long term. "Howard" has a host of friends all over the State who will rejoice with him in this splendid recognition of work well done, and he always does everything well that he undertakes.

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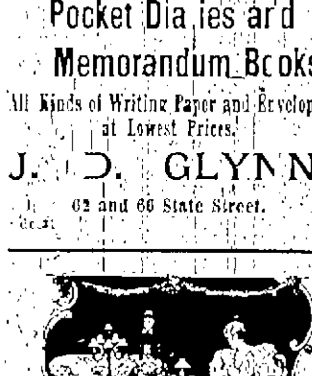

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NEWS BY CABLE.

Newspapers' Chorus Congratulations Over Prospects of Peace.

Ireland's Taxes Attracting Much Attention In United Kingdom.

London, Jan. 2.—Special cable letter—The newspapers of today generally review the events of the past year dwelling at length on the more prominent of them and all join in a chorus of congratulations over the prospects of peace that everywhere prevail. Special stress is laid upon the relations existing between Great Britain and the United States and comparisons are made between the situation now and that existing a year ago when there was much anxiety on both sides of the Atlantic regarding the outcome of the dispute between England and America in relation to the Venezuela boundary.

The vitality and intensity of the popular interest in the dominant question in Ireland, that of securing financial justice for the country, has been fully evinced by the great meetings held in Dublin, Limerick and Belfast. Despite the holiday season these meetings attracted a strongly influential attendance composed of men of all shades of political and religious faith, all eager to impress upon the British government their demand for the redress of their financial grievances.

On Tuesday night it was ... then announced an important meeting was held at Limerick, presided over by Lord Dunraven, who sits in the house of lords as Baron Kenry. He is a conservative and has heretofore been a staunch supporter of the government but his appearance as chairman at the Limerick meeting is proof that he will be found opposing the cabinet on the question of Irish taxation unless the government makes concessions that will avert an open fight. One of the most prominent speakers at the meeting was the Most Rev. Edward T. O'Dwyer, Roman Catholic bishop of Limerick, who made a strong speech setting forth the wrongs under which Ireland suffered in respect to taxation and urging Irishmen, no matter what their politics, to stand together to obtain a lessening of the financial burdens under which the country labored.

An Address by John Daly.

John Daly, the recently released dynamiter, spoke ...

...

Another Royal Commission.

Since last week it has been decided to recommend the appointment of another royal commission to investigate the taxation question instead of a committee of the house of commons as was at first proposed. This will enable the government to obtain a commission having a majority free of the alleged home rule bias of the former commission, whose report in favor of Ireland has afforded a ground for agitation now going on. This proceeding will delay any legislative action on the question for the next two sessions and until the time arrives for the cabinet to make a grand coup designed to settle the demand for autonomy for Ireland and to reduce the Irish representation ... Westminster under the redistribution of seats scheme. It cannot be denied that the last commission ...

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Russia's Actions Thought ...

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Plague Rapidly Spreading.

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Thick Fog in London.

London, Jan. 2.—London was enveloped ...

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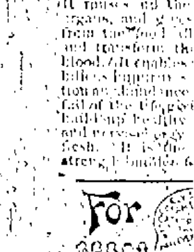

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nounced it through the trial. What was it? A man, with such control over himself as the prisoner has manifested during the trial, would not, under any ordinary circumstances, be so shaken by the commission of a crime, in which he had no part, as to lose sight of the responsibility devolving upon him as banking officer, and permit a mere colored steward to assume control. His explanation of his demoralization at this time was far from satisfactory, and was not made as much of as its importance would seem to warrant.

The counsel for the defence have been allowed two weeks in which to file exceptions, the Government another week in which to examine the same, and then will follow the arguments after which the Court will decide whether a new trial should be granted.

Too Modest.

President Lamb, of the New England Free Trade League, very modestly announces the conditions by which President McKinley, of the United States, can enter the distinguished consideration of the League. It all depends upon President McKinley, who is simply asked to "let the tariff alone" and thus make himself sold with the Free Trade League. President Lamb's sense of humor is about as large as his knowledge of the business needs of the country. What possible difference can it make to President McKinley whether the Free Trade League approves or disapproves of him personally. So far as his administration is concerned the worst thing that could happen to it would be to merit the endorsement of a handful of theorists who represent nothing but that which is antagonistic to the interests of the people.

President Lamb, if he is not entirely demented on this question, might learn something to his advantage if he could occupy a corner of the room in which the hearings in connection with the tariff are now taking place. Two years ago Mr. A. H. Winchester, of West Virginia, entertained the same foolish ideas to which Mr. Lamb still clings so tenaciously. Last Thursday he appeared before the committee to use his own words, "repenting in tears." Two years ago he was in favor of free lumber. To-day he is asking for a duty because free lumber has destroyed the trade even down in West Virginia. The experience under the Wilson-Gorman tariff has taught him a lesson that will last for a life-time.

Turn in whichever direction you please and the demand is the same, namely, for more revenue and protection. The free traders declare that a protective tariff will not increase the revenue. This parrot cry reminds us of the man who consulted a lawyer to know if a neighbor could remove the bolt on his door and take his horse. The lawyer replied certainly not, whereupon the seeker for information retorted "But he has." So when the free trader insists that a protective tariff will not supply revenue the answer is, "but it has." The Treasury deficit is a creation of the Democratic party. The Government not only had sufficient means for current expenses under a protective tariff law, but constantly reduced the public debt. Theory does not count here. The people are dealing with facts and figures.

If nothing short of letting the law for perfidy and dishonor alone will soothe the feelings of President Lamb he is destined to an unhappy experience. That law is going to be revised on business principles in accordance with the demand of the people, the New England Free Trade League to the contrary notwithstanding.

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MESSENGER'S NOTICE. OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY, STATE OF MAINE. Penobscot ss. December 29, A. D. 1896. This is to give notice, that on the 29 day of December, A. D. 1896, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot, against the estate of EBBERT E. KNOWLES, of Corinth, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor on petition of creditor, on which petition was filed on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1896, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be held at the Insolvency Court room, in Bangor, in said County, on the fourteenth day of January, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Given under my hand the date first above written. CHARLES C. HATCH, Deputy Sheriff, As Messenger of said Court of Insolvency. decs6 dWw

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MESSENGER'S NOTICE. OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY, STATE OF MAINE. Penobscot ss. January 1st, A. D. 1897. This is to give notice that on the twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1896, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of WILLIAM E. COWAN, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1896, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be held at the Probate Court room, in Bangor, in said County, on the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Given under my hand the date first above written. F. B. FOSTER, Deputy Sheriff, As Messenger of said Court. jan2 eWw

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GEN. TAYLOR INTERVIEWED.

Agrees with President Cleveland on Cuban Question.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—It was not until the close of Karl Pfaddenhauer's long interview in Washington yesterday that Gen. Charles H. Taylor, of Boston, could be induced to talk upon current topics and express opinions which he, in his capacity of editor of the Boston Globe, represents in New England.

He considers Secretary Olney's note to Spanish bellicose to Boston, but approves the story of State's recalcitrance. He would like to see Nelson Dingley, the greatest of the tariff makers in the new congress, and the second thought of with President Cleveland at the Cabinet meeting.

It seems to me that the new congressmen promise to be the business men, he said. "Prosperity will come if we give it time. There have been times when I despaired of my world, the old country, but I never despaired of my country. We have had our troubles, but we have survived them. We have had our hopes. It will take some time for things to regulate themselves and people to realize that the world is not going to hell. It was wrong to conclude that the failure of the Indiana National Bank in Illinois indicated the crash. It was the result of a long and unnecessary contest between capital and labor, which ought to be settled by the courts. It is not true that the country is in a state of panic. It is not true that the people are starving. The great corporations have not shut down. They are trying to regulate the relations between capital and labor. It was wrong to conclude that the failure of the Indiana National Bank in Illinois indicated the crash. It was the result of a long and unnecessary contest between capital and labor, which ought to be settled by the courts

...aging work of at least... the Charitable relief from starvation... perished by want of food, victims to the disease, which ... baffled the efforts of the ... control it. The sanitary ... the natives' quarters also ... spread of the disease, but, with their usual fatalism, ... be taught the benefits of ... their habitations, and ... as a visitation from their ...

...ght that unless the sanitary ... be enforced by the civil ... it will be necessary to call ... itary for assistance in com... atives to observe the health ...

...the British are in a ... condition, it will tax the in... Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, ... the exchequer, to produce a ... the budget for the coming ... in the army and navy ... estimated at 2,250,000 pounds, ... case in the education grants ... In addition to these ... will be required to meet ... of the Dongola expedition ... enditures in connection with ...

...ick Fog in London.

...Jan. 2.—London was enveloped ... black fog today and business ... practically suspended. ... of street accidents, most... of vehicles and pedestrians, ...

[T]AYLOR INTERVIEWED.

...th President Cleveland ... Cuban Question.

...Jan. 2.—It was not until the ... Field had been turned over ... yesterday that Gen. Taylor of Boston, could be ... upon current topics and ... which he is editor and ... the Boston Globe, stands ... England ... Secretary Olney, who ... to Boston, the greatest ... his recollection.—He ... to see Nelson Dingley, Jr., ... the treasury, in the new cabi... [st]ands firm with ... on the Cuban que[stion] ...

...to me that the new year ... promise to the business ... "Prosperity will return ... There have been ... they would be del... prosperity the moment the ... settled. They had nothing ... upon which to base. It will take some time for ... themselves and get ... foundation ... include that the ... National Bank of Illinois ... institutions in any ... financial condition of the ... crash came as the result ... ment and methods which ... It is not just to ... country for a system of bank... make great loans and ... them by entering the ... bank examiner would not ... This failure and ... in the west have been ... and not to any condi... financial world ... better feeling all over the ... don't look for any revival for ... months ...

...with President Cleveland, ... the right thing for us to ... provisional government for the ... We who know Mr. Olney ... is not acting blindly. He ... international and constitu... in the country today, and ... any announcement there ... that he went to the very bot... question ... administration has acted wisely, ... tively, and the course is to ... rather than a policy of sendi... might have stepped in at the ... prolonged the war rather ... in its settlement ... plenty of cabinet gossip from ... the Pacific. Nelson Ding... make an admirable secre... treasury being one of the most ... millions men in all New Eng... he has four or five candi... cabinet. Some of the ... cause of friendship with Mr. ... by reason of ... J. McKinley."

[BR]IDGEPORT STRIKE.

...ed by Company—... Among Strikers.

...Conn., Jan. 2.—The ... that the Salts Textile ... striking weavers have ... company has paid the ... finished work in the ... strike went into ... the women employed ... the weavers, ... company ...

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In Effect Dec. 14, 1896.

Until further notice, trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

5.30 A.M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Pullman Car for St. John.

6.55 A.M.—For Oldtown and all points on the B. & A. R. R.

11.20 A.M.—For Oldtown and Milford.

12.30 P.M.—Mixed for Mattawamkeag.

3.00 P.M.—For Vanceboro, St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodstock, and St. John.

4.50 P.M.—For Oldtown and B. & A. R. R. to Greenville and Houlton.

7.00 P.M.—For Oldtown and Mattawamkeag.

GOING WEST.

7.15 A.M.—For all points West, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, and Moosehead Lake, Burnham for Belfast, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston, Farmington, Phillips and Rangeley, at Portland for Morcester and Toronto.

12.15 P.M.—Mixed, for Waterville and way stations, connecting at Burnham for Belfast.

1.40 P.M.—Flying Yankee for Boston, with through Parlor Car running via Augusta, stopping at and connecting for Newport, Dexter, Dover and Foxcroft, Moosehead Lake, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

Night trains between Bangor and Boston run every night, Sundays included.

4.35 P.M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and Moosehead Lake via Dexter and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville including ...

8.00 P.M.—Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston and Bath. Pullman sleeping cars attached for Portland and Boston.

11.25 P.M.—Express for Portland and Boston. Pullman sleeping car attached for Portland and Boston.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7.30 A.M., 5.05 P.M. (except Saturdays and Sundays) and 6.55 P.M. Saturdays only. Arrive at Bucksport 8.40 A.M., 6.00 and 7.30 P.M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 5.50 A.M., and 1.15 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 6.55 A.M. and 2.30 P.M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 5.45 and 6.15 A.M., and 4.45 P.M. Leave Ellsworth for ... 10.33 A.M. and 5.37 P.M. 6.45 A.M. trains connect for Sullivan and Sorrento.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.30 A.M. and 3.25 P.M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.20 A.M., 1.00 and 5.15 P.M. Leave Ellsworth 11.55 A.M., 1.35 and 5.47 P.M. Arrive in Bangor 1.00, 4.10 and 7.00 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

7.15 A.M.—For Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

8.00 P.M.—For Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Rockland, Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 6.20 (Yankee) and 11.10 P.M. From Greenville, 9.55 A.M., B. & A. 1.20 and 6.55 P.M. from all points. From Milford, 2.30 P.M. Mattawamkeag 6.45 A.M., 11.55 A.M. (mixed).

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland 4.30 A.M. and 4.55 and 6.30 P.M. Sundays 5.15 A.M. From Portland and way stations 11.5 A.M. From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter 9.07 and 11.45 A.M. Sunday from Boston and Portland 5.15 P.M. Sunday paper train 11.25 A.M.

Note.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and by all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

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Oct. 1, 1896.

Bangor & Aroostook R. R.

Pullman Buffet Parlor Car between Houlton and Bangor on trains leaving Houlton at 8.30 A.M. and Bangor at 4.50 P.M.

IN EFFECT MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1896.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

6.55 A.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.18 A.M., Milo 8.41 A.M., Brownville 8.55 A.M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.42 A.M., Norcross 9.55 A.M., Sherman 10.53 A.M., Island Falls 11.29 A.M., Smyrna Mills 11.55 A.M., Woodstock 12.20 P.M., Masardis 1.16 P.M., Ashland 1.40 P.M., Houlton 12.39 P.M., Presque Isle 2.05 P.M., Caribou 2.35 P.M., Fort Fairfield 2.10 P.M., Dover 9.15 A.M., Guilford 9.47 A.M., Monson Junction 9.59 A.M., Greenville 11.00 A.M.

4.00 P.M.—For and arriving at Brownville 6.15 P.M., Norcross, 7.40 P.M., Grindstone, 8.10 P.M., Sherman, 8.41 P.M., Island Falls, 9.15 P.M., Ashland Junction, 9.28 P.M., Houlton, 10.05 P.M., Lagrange 5.27 P.M., Dover and Foxcroft, 7.13 P.M., Sangerville, 7.35 P.M., Guilford, 7.59 P.M., Monson Junction, 7.56 P.M., Blanchard, 8.18 P.M., Greenville, 8.55 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

9.55 A.M.—Leaving Greenville 6.00 A.M., Monson Junction 7.00 A.M., Guilford 7.17 A.M., Dover 7.30 A.M., Brownville 7.45 A.M., Milo 8.00 A.M., Lagrange 8.25 A.M.

1.20 P.M.—Leaving Caribou 6.10 A.M., Presque Isle 6.40 A.M., Fort Fairfield 6.15 A.M., Houlton 8.30 A.M., Ashland 7.00 A.M., Masardis 7.28 A.M., Woodstock 8.53 A.M., Smyrna Mills 8.50 A.M., Island Falls 9.30 A.M., Sherman 9.58 A.M., Norcross 10.10 A.M., Brownville 11.10 A.M.

6.35 P.M.—Leaving Greenville 3.25 P.M., Monson Junction 3.35 P.M., Guilford 3.56 P.M., Dover 4.10 P.M., Caribou 11.05 A.M., Presque Isle 11.35 A.M., Fort Fairfield 11.10 A.M., Houlton 1.00 P.M., Ashland 9.50 A.M., Masardis 10.30 A.M., Woodstock 12.30 P.M., Smyrna Mills 1.15 P.M., Island Falls 2.15 P.M., Sherman 2.40 P.M., Norcross 3.40 P.M., Brownville 4.55 P.M., Milo 4.50 P.M., Lagrange 5.14 P.M.

GEO. M. HOUGHTON, Gen'l Pass'r & Ticket Agent.

F. W. CRAM, Vice Pres't & Gen'l Man'r.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 1, 1896.

State of Maine.

Penobscot ss. Clerk's Office, Supreme Judicial Court, Bangor, December 1st, 1896.

Brian J. Dunn, of Brewer, in the County of Penobscot, in said State, has this day filed in this Office notice of his intention to apply for admission to the Bar at the next term of said Court, to be holden at Bangor, within and for the County and State aforesaid, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D. 1897.

CHAS. F. SWEET, Clerk.

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[illegible] NATIONAL BANK OF BANGOR.

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Kavanaugh.

The Grecian Portrait.

The Grecian portrait seems the perfection of the human type to us, and artists copy it, although it is actually rare. In it the line of the nose is more or less perfectly the prolongation of the line of the forehead. The hollow at the root of the nose is almost effaced, and the prominence of the nose is softened. The absolute Grecian profile would therefore be represented in a drawing by a single continuous line for the forehead and nose. Yet another condition is essential for obtaining the fine Grecian profile: The forehead should not be receding. This marks the distinction between the Grecian and the Egyptian profile.—Popular Science Monthly.

Strategy In the Street Car.

Snobly—I had to give up my seat in the car to an Irish woman today, you know.

Cobly—How kind! How was that?

Snobly—She remarked to a friend that she didn't expect a seat, because all the fellows in the car were hard-working men. I couldn't stand the imputation, you know.—Philadelphia North American.

The new moon falling between 8 and 10 a. m. in the winter time means cold rain if the wind is from the west or southwest, and snow if from the east.

Victor Emmanuel of Italy was designated the Gallant, not only on account of his politeness, but because of his impetuosity in battle.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi weekly by the Grocers' Association.

SATURDAY, Jan. 2.

TABLE OF STANDARD WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds; and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, ruta baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye, and Indian meal 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ₩ bush	1.25@1.30
Pea, hand picked, ₩ bush	[illegible]
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ₩ lb	18@20c
Fair to good	[illegible]
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ₩ lb (new)	10@11c
Best Dairy, ₩ lb (new)	[illegible]
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung, ₩ lb	4@5c
Choice sliced	[illegible]
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ₩ doz	[illegible]
HAY—	
Best loose, ₩ ton	$15 00
PEAS—	
Improved, ₩ bush	[illegible]
Best Canada, whole	1.10@1.25
POTATOES—	
New, ₩ bu	40@45
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, ₩ lb	15@16c
Fowls	[illegible]
ONIONS—	
₩ Barrel	[illegible]

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, ₩ box	[illegible]
English butter salt, in 14lb bags, ₩ bag	[illegible]
in 56lb bags	[illegible]
Liverpool, ₩ hhd	[illegible]
Turks Island	[illegible]
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ₩ box	[illegible]
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ₩ lb	[illegible]
London layers	[illegible]
Sultana	[illegible]
CURRANTS—	
English, ₩ lb	[illegible]
KEROSENE OIL—	
120 test, ₩ gallon	[illegible]
150 test	[illegible]
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ₩ gallon	[illegible]
Pure, W. W.	[illegible]
OATS—	[illegible]
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall, ₩ barrel	5.7 @6.00
Best St. Louis	5.75
Good family	5.50
CORN—	
Full weight	[illegible]
CORN MEAL—	
100 lbs. to bushel	[illegible]
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	[illegible]
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	[illegible]
Spring Wheat, ₩ hundred	[illegible]
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ₩ hundred	[illegible]
Coarse	[illegible]
GLUTEN MEAL	[illegible]
FEED FLOUR	[illegible]
WHEAT	[illegible]

Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Best Irish	[illegible]
Best Canada	[illegible]
RYE MEAL—₩ lb	[illegible]
GRAHAM FLOUR	[illegible]
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	[illegible]
SUGAR—	
Granulated, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Extra	[illegible]
PORK—	
Country clear, ₩ lb	[illegible]
LARD—	
Best, from tierces, ₩ lb	[illegible]

YOU CAN BE WELL

When your blood is pure, rich and nourishing for nerves and muscles. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is pure, thin and impure you must either ... fall a victim to ... you are ... Hood's Sarsaparilla ...

...was removed to the ... room.

At 12.45 the jury came into court for further instructions but were sent back to the jury room without them. The court then took a recess until 2.30 p. m. In reply to the request of the jury Judge Colt said that in no case was the recollection of the court to be taken instead of that of the jury. He therefore could give no information on the matter. From this it would seem that the jurors were not clear regarding some point in the evidence.

Bram Found Guilty.

The jury has returned a verdict of guilty.

MASSACHUSETTS DEMOCRATS.

The Factional Fight Being Aired in Court.

Boston, Jan. 2.—The followers of George Fred Williams in the Democratic state central committee, have begun court proceedings against the Fancuil hall faction of the committee. Judge Holmes in the supreme court this morning was presented with a petition brought by John V. Sellard, of Braintree, against John H. Sulli an, of Boston, and fifteen others, praying for writ of mandamus.

The object of the petition is to prevent the respondents from taking part in the reorganization of the Democratic state central committee, claiming that they have no right to do so.

The first ground taken is that the senatorial conventions only have the right to elect members of the state central committee and secondly that the respondents who were selected by the Faneuil hall convention, were not legally chosen.

The court issued an order of notice upon the respondents returnable into court at 11 this forenoon. The Democratic state committee meets this afternoon for reorganization.

At 11 o'clock ex-Judge Corcoran, N. G. Robinson and Hon. John H. Sullivan appeared to answer the order of notice. When the case was called, Judge Holmes asked Counsel Pratt for the petitioners provided his clients and the respondents could not agree, that the meeting called to organize the state central committee today, be postponed, until the questions of the case be heard, and also agree that the case be fixed for hearing.

Judge Corcoran stated that he was about to suggest that that be done. He said the respondents' counsel, S. J. Elder, had not appeared yet, but had been sent for. Just at this moment Mr. Elder appeared. Counsel Pratt, for the petitioners, suggested to the court that perhaps a further order should be issued upon the respondents as he had not been able to get service upon all of them in the short time in which the previous order allowed.

Judge Corcoran stated that he need not get a further order, that he himself, and he had no doubt the remaining respondents, will appear voluntarily. The court stated that no further order of notice was necessary, as a subpoena issued will answer. It was agreed by both sides that the meeting of the committee, called for noon today, should be postponed to await the call of some appointed person or persons, the outcome of the case, and that the case be fixed for Jan. 19, for hearing.

FIRE RECORD.

One Hundred Men Thrown Out of Employment.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Fire at an early hour this morning completely destroyed the foundry plant of G. H. Gibby, on Condor street, East Boston, and practically destroyed the foundry and blacksmith plant of the Boston and Lockport Block Co. The loss will be fully $10,000. About 100 men are thrown out of employment.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Dolphin to Look After Filibusters.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The despatch boat Dolphin has been ordered to leave Washington to-night to cruise along the Florida coast and look out for filibusters.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

Bank Closes Its Doors.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 2.—The Omaha Savings Bank, the oldest savings bank in the city, and the principal one of the two savings institutions left in the city, closed its doors this morning.

OBITUARY.

An Old and Prominent Railroad Man.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Samuel M. Young, one of the oldest and most prominent railroad men in the country, died here yesterday in his ninety-first year. Mr. Young was one of the promoters of the Cleveland and Toledo R. R., now the Lake Shore. He was born in Lebanon, N. H., and leaves a large fortune to his three children.

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...in $1,500 for his appearance in the United States district court.

DELIBERATE SUICIDE.

Inmate of Keeley Institute Inhales Gas.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 2.—Mrs. Louise Stowe, an inmate of the Keeley Institute, West Haven, was found dead in her room about 7 o'clock this morning. She had inhaled gas through a rubber tube and left a written record of her condition up to the moment the gas overcame her. Mrs. Stowe was a widow about forty years of age. She came to the institute from Derby, where she was well connected and in comfortable circumstances. She was under treatment for the morphine habit.

MARINE NEWS.

Loss of the Steamer Warwick.

Seal Cove, Grand Menan, N. B., Jan. 2.—The steamer Warwick, from Glasgow for St. John, which went ashore on Yellow Murr ledge, will be a total wreck. The steamer encountered heavy gales all the way across the Atlantic. On Wednesday last, as before stated, she sighted Sable Island at 2.30 p. m. and struck the ledge at 10.30 p. m. A strong southerly wind was blowing and a heavy sea washed the ship continually. Two boats were launched but were instantly smashed and the crew clung to the rigging until the next forenoon, when they succeeded in getting two more boats and the entire ship's company, numbering 52 men crowded into them and battled with heavy seas for two hours when they were picked up and brought here. The cause of the disaster is not known, but it is thought that Capt. Kemp mistook Gannett Rock light for Brier Island. The night was dark but not thick.

ON THE WAY TO BOSTON.

Ashes of Kate Field Arrive at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The ashes of Kate Field, the Washington journalist, were brought to this city yesterday from San Francisco by Gen. Charles H. Taylor, of the Boston Globe, and delivered to Miss Lilian Whiting, a life long friend of Miss Field, who will go with them to Boston to-morrow. There they will be interred in Mount Auburn Cemetery. The ashes occupy an urn twelve inches in height, hermetically sealed, which was brought across the continent in a small satchel. Miss Whiting came from Boston to secure the urn and its contents.

THE NATIONAL PARTY.

Executive and Central Committee Unable to Agree on Terms of Union.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Members of the executive and central committees of the National party who have been in session here for two days, wound up their business last night. It has been reported that negotiations for the union of the two prohibition parties have been entertained but this according to members of the committee, is out of the question. Mrs. Helen M. Gougar, who has always been prominent in the party and was a member of both the executive and central committees, was asked to resign because she supported Wm. J. Bryan in the recent campaign. Mrs. Julia P. Green, of Adrian, Mich., was appointed in her stead.

While the fusion of the National party with the old Prohibition party is deemed improbable, a committee was appointed to use every effort to unite all the true reformers into one body, if such can be effected without sacrifice of principle to the National Party.

FATALLY SCALDED.

Boy Fell Into Tub of Hot Water.

Amesbury, Mass., Jan. 2.—A despatch from West Epping, N. H., states that Russell Hoyt, 12 years old, was fatally scalded this morning, by falling into a tub of hot water.

To Cure a Cold In One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

The Keeley Institute, Dearing, Maine, promotes practical temperance by curing the nervous weakness on which indulgence in alcohol, morphine, tobacco, etc., depends, incidental to the Keeley Treatment, many diseases and nervous troubles caused by these addictions are cured and the general condition is thoroughly built up, strengthened and invigorated.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, dyspepsia and biliousness in the only sure, permanent way. There is nothing violent or irritating about them, they work mildly though quickly. They tone and strengthen the bowels to carry on their functions naturally. They gently stimulate the flow of bile from the liver and the digestive juices of the stomach. You don't become a slave to their use as with other pills. They make you regular and then you can leave them. That is the difference between Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets and the something "just as good," which a druggist tries to substitute. Don't let him do so with you.

...this country today, says a post-office department official, and the army is enormous as it is constantly on the increase. There is scarcely a city or even large sized town in this country where postage stamps are not dealt in. Of course in many cities the stamp is carried on as a sideline in connection with other business, but there are a very large number of stores where stamps are dealt in exclusively. On Fourteenth street, New York, there are now, and have been for several years, a half dozen wholesale dealers in postoffice stamps and at least a dozen retail dealers.

Some of the wholesale dealers have several men on the road travelling from place to place looking up and disposing of rare stamps. In Europe the stamp craze is simply enormous, and several foreign houses have drummers on the road in this country constantly. Only a few days ago, in this city I knew of a 90 cent internal revenue stamp of the war series being sold for $500. In one day afterward the same stamp was sold for $700, and it is now held by its owner at $800. Another strange thing in connection with the stamp craze is that it seldom affects women. When women do catch it, however, they have it bad. I know of a stamp belonging to a gentleman who resides here, though at present he is traveling about showing it to stamp enthusiasts, which was issued by a short lived republic and which is valued at $2,000. Its value comes from the fact that there are but few of them in existence."

A Gold Nugget From the Deep.

Captain J. Dahl, master of the Norwegian bark Hardy, when discharging a timber cargo at Irvine the other day, had with him a small nugget of gold which he had found adhering to his sounding lead after taking soundings off the coast of Newfoundland a few weeks ago, says "The Scottish American." Captain Dahl who hails from Fredrikshald, Norway, was at the time on his way to Dalhousie, New Brunswick, to load his cargo. The lead had the usual thick coating of tallow on the end which comes in contact with the bottom, and when hauled in he found the tiny bit of gold, about the size of a bean, sticking to the tallow.

At Dalhousie Captain Dahl showed it to the merchant with whom he was transacting business, and who on having it tested, found it to be pure gold. Captain Dahl states that before leaving he had an offer of $3,000 on condition that he would furnish exclusive information as to his precise bearings at the time he cast the lead, but refused. He was in British waters at the time, and will first ascertain what the government authorities there have to say to him on the subject. He has reported the find to the custom house at Irvine, but refuses to give up the bit of gold.

An Interview With Capt. Gen. Weyler.

A reporter of the Havana Diario Del LaMarina had an interview with Captain General Weyler in the Mata Toro camp. Concerning the situation in the Province of Pinar Del Rio, General Weyler said, speaking from the standpoint of strength and importance, the insurrection in that province has been crushed. The few insurgents remaining were obliged to hide like wolves in caves. Fever and small pox had thinned the rebels ranks. His own column and those of the other Spanish commanders had overrun the base and interior of the hill and met no rebels. The insurgents, after the death of Maceo, were without a leader. Rivera, Maceo's successor, was unpopular among his men. Gen. Weyler added that his statements would be confirmed after Generals Melguizo and Arolas had completed their operations, which included the sweeping of the province from west to east. Gens. Hernandez Velazio, Obregao, Bernal, Ruiz, Fuents and Segura were now in the centre of the hills. Perhaps General Arolas was also there. Once the Rubi Hills were fortified, a severe blow might be directed against the rebels under Ducassis. Gen. Weyler said he would allow no house to be built on the outskirts of the towns, as were they constructed they would serve mostly as refuges for bandits.

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For Infants and Children.

...considerable area and ran back as a narrow tube, the whole being like the most delicately woven gray white silk. Throwing a tempting bait into the web in the shape of a fly, the doctor had no difficulty in sweeping two gray spiders into another jar.

He got a deep sided salad bowl and dumped the gray spiders in. They at once began running around the flat bottom, making wild dashes up the sides and tumbling over each other in their excited efforts to escape.

As soon as the tiger spider was shaken out of his pickle jar into the bowl the gray spiders ceased their wild motions and took up a crouching position at one side of the bowl bottom. The tiger spider made no effort to escape, but after one or two rapid reconnoiters of his surroundings squatted just across from and facing the hill tribers.

The first offensive movements came from the gray spiders. These were in the nature of slow advances and retreats along the circumference line of the bowl bottom, with the evident intention of taking the tiger spider on the flank. At each advance, however, the tiger spider sat up, resting on his four posterior and middle feet, while the two anterior legs were stretched out like the arms of a wrestler, and the strong caliper shaped jaws were opened to their fullest extent.

Suddenly one of the spiders made a characteristic but fatal dash. He seemed actually to leap at the big spider. But quick as the hill spider was, the tiger spider was equally so. As the long drab spider darted in, the big black and yellow fellow sprung up and faced him. The next instant they closed, and in a moment three of the hill spider's legs lay on the glass, and the tiger spider, holding his enemy in a deadlike hug, was burying his mandibles in the other's throat.

The killing had not been done, however, without receipt of injury on both sides. One yellow and black leg lay with the three drab ones, and there were two drops of black juice on the pursy abdomen of the tiger spider, which showed where the gray spider had planted his jaws in the rush.

Meanwhile, too, the second gray spider had not been idle, but was circling round and about the struggling pair. Then, seeing his opportunity, he dashed in, only to be faced by the burly fighter, who, to meet the new attack unencumbered, threw the body of the dead combatant from him with a gesture that was almost human.

The attack did not follow so quickly this time. The gray spider succeeded in getting in and away, clipping off another yellow and black leg as he did so, but in the second rush he was caught, and the tiger spider's jaws were locked in his throat.

So ended the fight.

The tiger spider held on to his second corpse so long and quietly that I thought him dead also, until I stirred him with my pen, when he staggered fiercely against it, opened his jaws and rolled over, a corpse.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

The New Woolens.

The winter's woolens are handsome and varied. Iridescent effects, rich heather mixtures and boucle effects are numerous, having, for example, a medium or dark woolen ground variegated by contrasting threads of silk, or the foundation is a blue or deep red, for instance, with a very shaggy raised design of glossy black wool on the surface. These materials will be much worn, with the small addition, perhaps, of a corded silk vest to match the silk intermixture or, also the background. Very little decoration is needed for these showy textiles.

Not Embarrassed.

"Is it true that Pidger is financially embarrassed?"

"He is awfully in debt, but it doesn't seem to embarrass him any."—Chicago Record.

Miles on the Indian.

A champion has risen up for the Indian in the person of General Miles. The Indian fighter has become the most earnest and aggressive of Indian defenders. This fact and an energetic defense of General Custer are the salient points in the Miles memoirs. In his opinion the red man has distinguished himself as diplomat, statesman and warrior and may be good even while he is alive. In speaking of Custer, General Miles says, "I have no patience with those who would kick a dead lion," and he attributes the lion's death in part to general ignorance throughout the army as to the strength of the enemy, and in part to the failure of Major Reno to assume responsibility for the movements of his force.—Chicago Journal.

...ago, had pet coons on board, and this particular breed is said to be due to their escape to shore at that time.

"There are twenty or over widows and widowers in this village. They are about equally divided and a number of them are keeping house alone," writes a news gatherer in Tenant's Harbor, who seems sadly troubled over the probability that they will remain divided, consume more firewood, keep more dwellings in repair, and more paths shoveled this winter, in short, go to all the extra expense single blessedness under such conditions imposes. We know not whether the correspondent is an interested party.

State Superintendent of Schools W. W. Stetson said at the business meeting of the Maine Pedagogical Society, on Thursday, that he thought that an appropriation of money for the State Society might be secured from the legislature this winter. Principal George C. Purington said that the State made appropriations for the Pomological Society, to encourage the cultivation of calves, pigs, and other live stock—and why not for the cultivation of teachers? An interesting thing that came up in the business meeting was a communication from an Augusta man suggesting that the name of "Pedagogical" be dropped for a more appropriate one. He did not think the name carried with it enough respect.—Lewiston Journal.

At the Christmas festival and fair in one of the school houses in Wytopitlock, where a tree loaded with gifts was being distributed—some of which were being sold by auction, a pretty incident illustrated the discipline of school life upon the mind of small children occurred. Mr. Patchell was acting as auctioneer, and was selling a pair of stockings. Some one had bid five cents, after which there was a pause. "How much am I offer'd?" he said. Another pause. And then a bright little fellow five or six years old spoke out in a slow and distinct tone: "A dollar and a quarter." He supposed from his training at school he had as good a right to speak as any one, but the jump from five cents to $1.25 at one bid amused everybody.

Rockland Star: The citizens were somewhat surprised yesterday to see a gang of men clad in striped black and white, handcuffed to each other, and also to a long chain passing through the streets. They were prisoners at the jail and in accordance with the orders of the county commissioners, were set to work pounding stone in the stoneyard at the head of Tillson's wharf, Deputy Thomas was in charge and looked after the safety of the prisoners. The men will be worked in the yard from six to seven hours a day. This move is taken to get rid of the tramps who seem to have taken a warm regard for Knox county jail this winter. The men themselves say they have no objection to pounding stone for Knox county, but they do dislike to be herded through the streets like cattle.

A Merry Birthday Party.

Our correspondent writes: A merry gathering of young ladies met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ring, Main street, Orono, to celebrate the birthday of their granddaughter, Miss Geneva Ring Hamilton, also to usher in the new year. The evening was spent in whist and dancing. Everything went as merry as such an event participated in by such a company of young ladies, bent on a good time, would. In their enthusiasm, they stopped the electric car and wished the occupants a "Happy New Year." Many birthday gifts were made and enthusiastically received, which added to the pleasure of the evening, and midnight came all too quickly.

"Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring, happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going—let him go;
Ring out the false, ring in the true."

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Notice of Petition for Discharge.

STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. Court of Insolvency.

In the case of WALTER K. SHAW, of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot, and EDWIN D. MORSE, of Mars Hill, in the County of Aroostook, individually and as ... partners, under the partnership name of Shaw and Morse, Insolvent Debtors.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has, on this twenty-third day of December, A. D. 1896, been presented to said Court for said County of Penobscot, by EDWIN D. MORSE, of Mars Hill, in the County of Aroostook, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, both individual and partnership, provable under Chapter Seventy of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine and Public Laws of said State, amendatory thereof and additional thereto, and upon said petition, it is ordered by said Court that a hearing be had upon the same before said Court, at the Probate Court Room in Bangor, in said County of Penobscot, on THURSDAY, the fourth day of February, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in said County of Penobscot, once a week for two successive weeks, the last publication to be seven days at least before the day of hearing; and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons interested, may appear at said place and time, and show cause, if any they have, why a discharge should not be granted said debtor according to the prayer of his petition.

Attest: AMOS E. HARDY, Register of said Court for said County of Penobscot.

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STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. Court of Insolvency.

In the case of HORATIO M. SAWYER, of La Grange, in said County of Penobscot, Insolvent Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has on this twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1896, been presented to said Court for said County by HORATIO M. SAWYER, of La Grange, in the County of Penobscot, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, provable under Chapter Seventy of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine and Public Laws of said State amendatory thereof and additional thereto, and upon said petition, it is ordered by said Court that a hearing be had upon the same before said Court, at the Probate Court Room in Bangor, in said County of Penobscot, on THURSDAY, the ... day of January, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in said County of Penobscot, once a week for two successive weeks, the last publication to be seven days at least before the day of hearing; and that all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, may appear at said place and time, and show cause, if any they have, why a discharge should not be granted said debtor according to the prayer of his petition.

Attest: AMOS E. HARDY, Register of said Court for said County of Penobscot.

State of Maine.

Penobscot ss. Court of Probate, December Term, A. D. 1896.

The Commissioners of Insolvency on the Estate of AUGUSTUS MOSELEY, late of Etna, in said County, having made return of their warrant to them issued for this purpose, together with their doings thereon,

Ordered, that public notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in January, A. D. 1897, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be accepted and approved.

JAMES H. BURGESS, Judge of Probate.

Attest: AMOS E. HARDY, Register.

A true copy of the original.

Attest: AMOS E. HARDY, Register.

Legislative Notice.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The Penobscot Central Railway respectfully prays that its proposed street railroad from Charleston, Garland, Exeter, Corinth, Levant, Kenduskeag, and Glenburn to the City of Bangor, may be so located in the City of Bangor, under proper restrictions, that it may make connection with the Maine Central Railroad and the Steamboat Landing, subject to the customary provisions as to municipal control and regulation.

Bangor, Dec. 31, 1896.

PENOBSCOT CENTRAL RAILWAY,

By F. O. BEAL, I. G. ... , AMOS F. GERALD, Directors.

KENDUSKEAG NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Kenduskeag National Bank of Bangor will be held at their Banking Room on TUESDAY, January 12th, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., to choose a Board of Directors and to transact any other business that may properly come before them.

GEORGE F. BRYANT, Cashier.

Bangor, Dec. 11, 1896.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

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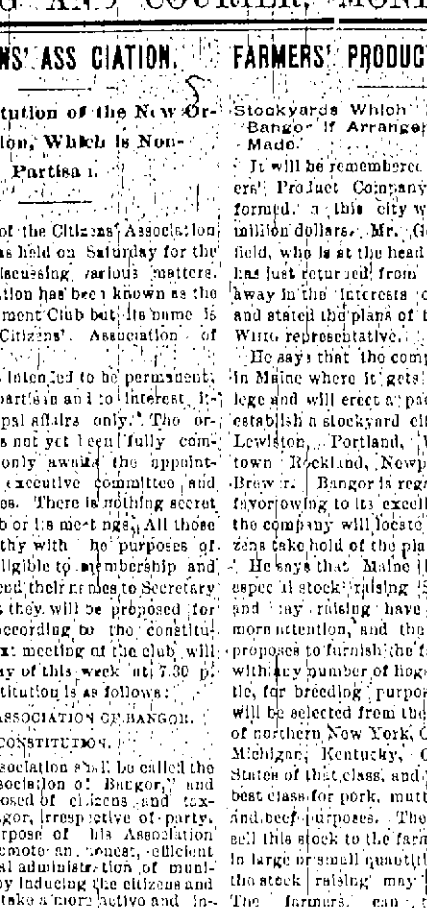

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Miss Field's kindergarten will open for the winter term this morning at nine o'clock.

The January civil term of the Supreme Judicial Court convenes to-morrow, Chief Justice Peters will preside.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah A. Hinckley will be held this forenoon at 10.30 at her late residence, 2 Harlow street.

The annual conclave of St. John's Commandery, Knights Templar, will be held this evening at Masonic Hall, at 7.30 o'clock.

At the symphony concert by Pullen's orchestra which will occur on Tuesday, January 12th, Miss Edith M. Bradford will sing "Ah, Mon Fils," from Meyerbeer's opera, "Le Prophet."

Beginning on Saturday no express messenger is running on trains Nos. 2 and 7, for and from Boston Saturday nights, but there will be on the same trains Sunday nights, a reversal of the usual custom.

The annual meeting of the managers of the Bangor Children's Home will be held in Room No. 2, City Hall, to-morrow at 2.30 o'clock p. m. There will be reports of officers and election of officers for the coming year.

The inauguration of the new governor of Indian Island, Oldtown, Sebat M. Francis, and Lieut. Gov. Peter W. Rance, took place Friday and interesting exercises were held. Speeches were made by members of both the Old and New parties.

The members of Frank C. Fogg Post, of Hampden, and Woman's Relief Corps will have a fair to aid the worthy poor on January 13th and 14th at Town Hall, Hampden. On the evening of the 14th there will be a campfire. The Apollo Quartette of this city has been engaged.

The remains of Mrs. Anna French Pea...

CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION.

The Constitution of the New Organization, Which is Non-Partisan.

A meeting of the Citizens' Association of Bangor was held on Saturday for the purpose of discussing various matters. This organization has been known as the Good Government Club but its name is now the Citizens' Association of Bangor.

This club is intended to be permanent, entirely non-partisan and to interest itself in municipal affairs only. The organization has not yet been fully completed, but it only awaits the appointment of the executive committee and sub-committees. There is nothing secret about the club or its meetings. All those in full sympathy with the purposes of the club are eligible to membership and if they will send their names to Secretary C. H. Bart ett they will be proposed for membership according to the constitution. The next meeting of the club will be on Thursday of this week at 7.30 p. m. The constitution is as follows:

CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION OF BANGOR.

CONSTITUTION.

I. This Association shall be called the "Citizens' Association of Bangor," and shall be composed of citizens and taxpayers of Bangor, irrespective of party.

II. The purpose of this Association shall be to promote an honest, efficient and economical administration of municipal affairs, by inducing the citizens and tax-payers to take a more active and intelligent interest in such affairs, by furnishing an accurate and non-partisan account of the manner in which the city is governed, and of the conduct of the public servants, by encouraging faithful and exposing unfaithful performance of official duties, and by advocating legislation necessary or proper for securing its purpose.

III. It shall be the endeavor of the Association to keep a careful watch over the expenditure of public money, the making and performance of contracts, and the ...

FARMERS' PRODUCT COMPANY.

Stockyards Which May Come to Bangor If Arrangements Can Be Made.

It will be remembered that the Farmers' Product Company was recently formed in this city with a capital of a million dollars. Mr. George W. Maxfield, who is at the head of the company, has just returned from a business trip away in the interests of the company and stated the plans of the company to a Whig representative.

He says that the company will locate in Maine where it gets the best privilege and will erect a packing house and establish a stockyard either in Bangor, Lewiston, Portland, Waterville, Oldtown, Rockland, Newport Junction or Brewer. Bangor is regarded with much favor owing to its excellent location and the company will locate here if the citizens take hold of the plan.

He says that Maine is not now an especially stock raising State as potato and hay raising have received much more attention, and the new company proposes to furnish the farmers of Maine with any number of hogs, sheep and cattle, for breeding purposes. This stock will be selected from the very best herds of northern New York, Canada, northern Michigan, Kentucky, Ohio and other States of that class, and will be of the best class for pork, mutton, wool, milk and beef purposes. The company will sell this stock to the farmers of Maine, in large or small quantities, in order that the stock raising may begin quickly. The farmers can take the new stock and with it, it is said, raise up a product which shall find a constant market at the general prices of the world in the stock-yards to be established by the Farmers' Product Company of Maine. The company will, Mr. Maxfield says, have a solid financial backing.

Mr. Maxfield says that in order to accomplish the result desired all citizens, either capitalists, traders or others, ...

PLEASING EVENT.

Reading of "A Tale of Two Cities" by Miss Grace Chamberlain.

At the lecture room of the Y. M. C. A. building Saturday evening Miss Grace Chamberlain gave a reading for the benefit of the King's Daughters' Union and an audience of very good size passed a very enjoyable evening in hearing the skillful and pleasing reader.

Miss Chamberlain read Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities," well known as one of the great novelist's strongest books. Miss Chamberlain has the qualifications and experience which make a reader of excellent quality, as was shown by her Saturday evening. Her elocution is thoroughly effective in portraying the different characters and her facial expression and graceful action add very much to her work. She made a most favorable impression upon her audience, which was greatly interested and finely entertained by the reading.

AMUSEMENTS.

Robert Mantell.

"The Face in the Moonlight" was repeated Saturday afternoon by the Robert Mantell company at the Opera House and the presentation was enjoyed with all the flavor of the first performance, which was excellent. The play is strong and Mr. Mantell and his able support make the most of every scene.

In the evening an audience of goodly proportions had the pleasure of witnessing a splendid performance of "Othello." Mr. Mantell, of course, had the role of the Moor and it was in every way a powerful portrayal. His massive, yet athletic, frame and deep voice add to his impressive treatment of the role and he was at all times extremely effective. A curtain call and frequent applause showed the warm appreciation of the audience.

Miss Behrens' "Desdemona" was charmingly acted with all the grace and spirit which character as her delightful portrayal and Miss Monk's "Emilia" ...

GAME RECORD.

A Big Shipment from the Line of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad During the Year.

The record of the shipment of big game from places along the line of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad for the month of December was received on Saturday by General Passenger Agent G. M. Houghton and is as follows:

	Deer.	Moose.	Caribou.
Lagrange	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Milo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brownville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Schoodic	15	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Sebois	15	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ingalls' Siding	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Perkins' Siding	37	[illegible]	[illegible]
Norcross	[illegible]	[illegible]	8
Twin Dam	8	[illegible]	[illegible]
Millinocket	20	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grindstone	21	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sincyville	20	1	[illegible]
Sherman	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crystal	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Island Falls	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oakfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Patten	50	6	12
New Limerick	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mars Hill and Blaine	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Presque Isle	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Caribou	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Sebec	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Guilford	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Monson Junction	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Blanchard	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shirley	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Greenville	41	[illegible]	[illegible]
Smyrna Mills	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Croix	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Masardis	15	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ashland	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Easton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fort Fairfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brownville Junction	8	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. I. Works	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Monticello	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fort Fairfield Junction	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Woodstock	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Abbot Village	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	457	35	45

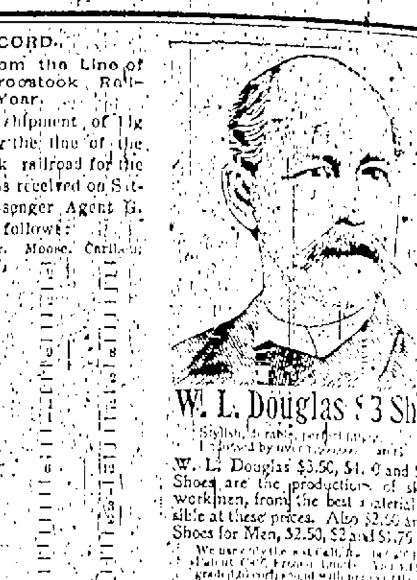
In October the shipment was as follows:

Deer	[illegible]
Moose	[illegible]
Caribou	[illegible]

In November the shipment was as follows:

Deer	[illegible]
Moose	[illegible]
Caribou	[illegible]

This makes a total of 2,160 deer, 127 moose and 127 caribou shipped in 1896. The record for 1895 was 1,681 deer, ... moose and 130 caribou. The '94 record was 1,601 deer, 45 moose, 50 caribou.



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ENTERTAINMENTS.

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REAL ESTATE

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FOR RENT—Store No. 18 Harlow Street, now occupied by A. Lewis. sep29 C. H. BARTLETT, Attorney.

FOR RENT—Rooms in the Grand Central Block. All new and clean. Suitable for office or business. Gas, water, and every convenience. Suites or single. Apply to LEMUEL NICHOLS, Grand Central Station. jan3 tf comcopy

FOR RENT—Brick store, 98 Exchange Street. sep25 eod M. LINCOLN.

FOR RENT—Brick store No. 175 Broad St., corner Independent, formerly occupied by D. Andrews & Co. Apply to CHARLES H. BARTLETT. apr28 tf

FOR SALE. House lots on Ohio, Highland, Jackson, Montgomery, Leighton, Fountain, Norfolk and Grant streets. M. Lincoln, 48 Exchange st. mchtf

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc.

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, 25 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid regular advertising rates will be charged.

WANTED—Commercial travelers to sell crockery to the trade on commission. H. B. HEACOCK, 215 North 4th St., Phila., Pa. Jan2 2t

WANTED—At once, a neat girl. Apply at 19 State Street. D. C. CLARK. dec29 tf comcopy

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ALL NEW FEATURES.

The Century will continue to be in every respect the leading American magazine, its table of contents including each month the best in literature and art. The present interest in American history makes especially timely a Great Novel of the American Revolution, its leading serial feature for 1897, and the masterpiece of its author, Dr. S. Weir Mitchell. The story, "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," purports to be the autobiography of its hero, an officer on Washington's staff. Social life in Philadelphia at the time of the Revolution is most interestingly depicted, and the characters include Washington, Franklin, Lafayette, and others well known in history. It is safe to say that the readers of this great romance will obtain from it a clearer idea of the people who were foremost in Revolutionary days, and of the social life of the times, than can be had from any other single source. The work is not only historically accurate, but is a most interesting story of love and war. The first chapters are in the November number. Howard Pyle will illustrate it.

Campaigning With Grant, by General Horace Porter, is the title of a series of articles which has been in preparation for many years. General Porter was an aide on General Grant's staff and a close friend of his chief, and the diary which he kept through the war is the basis of the present articles, which are striking pen-pictures of campaign life and scenes. They will be fully illustrated. The first one is in the November Century.

A new novel by Marion Crawford, author of "Mr. Isaacs," "Saracinesca," "Casa Braccio," etc., entitled, "A Rose of Yesterday," a story of modern life in Europe, with American characters, begins in November. The first of a series of engravings, made by the famous wood-engraver, T. Cole, of the old English masters also is in this issue. New features will be announced from time to time.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

ANNUAL CONCLAVE ST. JOHN'S COMMANDERY. The annual conclave of St. John's Commandery, K. T., for choice of officers and such other business as may properly come before said conclave, will be opened in Masonic Asylum, Monday evening, Jan. 4, 1897, at 7.30 o'clock. JOHN H. STONE, Recorder. Jan2 2t

The Best Resolution for the New Year. Stop that Cough, and with SYRUP OF SPRUCE GUM, because it is the quickest and best ever known. THE EAST SIDE PHARMACY, H. O. MILLER.

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ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS Against the City. The Committee on Accounts and Claims of the City Government will be in session on the first Tuesday in each month at 7 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of auditing bills against the city. All bills must be approved by the Officer and Committee of the Department contracting the same, and handed to the Committee on Accounts and Claims, or City Clerk, on or before the above named time of meeting. CHARLES H. GLASS, Chairman. Jan2 comcopy 13t

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Managers of the Bangor Children's Home will be held in Room No. 2, City Hall, on TUESDAY, January 5th, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. SUSAN A. BROWN, Sec'y. Jan2 2t sn

CITY OF BANGOR. WATER RATES are now due. TEN PER CENT. will be added after Jan. 20, 1897. Office open evenings from Jan. 14th to 20th inclusive. WALTER B. BROWN, Collector. Jan1tedt sn

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The remains of Mrs. Anna French Pebbey, which arrived in the city Friday afternoon from Lewiston, accompanied by her husband and were taken to the undertaking rooms of A. P. C. [illegible] were viewed by friends of the deceased in this city and Brewer. The burial was at Mt. Hope in the French lot.

Quite extensive repairs are being made on the buildings on the wharf of the Boston & Bangor S. S. Co., and when they come into use again in the spring they will be in excellent condition. The office of the company in this city is now located at the usual winter quarters in Railroad Block at the Exchange street depot.

There were 50 members present at the meeting of the Boston Bowdoin College Club held Saturday evening in the Copley Square Hotel. President Edwin U. Curtis, '82, ex-mayor of Boston, was in the chair. William E. Spear, '70, gave a short smoke talk about a trip to Palestine. P. P. Baxter, '98, was present and reported the condition of military and athletic affairs at the college. Informal addresses and songs followed.

Boston Sunday Herald: "The friends of Miss Harriet Shaw, the harpist, will be grieved to hear that she has met with a painful accident. She struck her harp case in the dark, breaking her eyeglass in her eye and injuring it badly. Miss Shaw has been at Dr. Baker's [illegible] for the last fortnight with two nurses and three oculists almost constantly in attendance. Dr. Derby is giving a little more encouraging opinion than at first was thought possible."

A change of time in the local car service will go into effect beginning this morning. Half hour service will be given in the forenoon from 6.15 to 11.15, after which 15 minute service will be maintained until 3.15 p.m., then the half hour service will be resumed until 10.15, when the last cars for all points will leave the square. During the periods in which the half hour service is being used cars will leave the ends of lines on the hour and half hour and West Market square at 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour.

The funeral of the late Mr. John Carey took place from the family residence in East Hampden Sunday afternoon at one o'clock. There was a very large attendance of the friends and neighbors of the deceased. Prayer and remarks were made by Rev. Mr. Haley, of this city. The bearers were Messrs. G. [illegible], H. A. Means, Henry Wheeler and John Holland. Mr. Carey was a man much respected by his neighbors and by all with whom he came in contact and in his death East Hampden loses one of the oldest and most prominent citizens. At one time he and his father owned a large portion of the land where East Hampden now stands. Mr. Carey took part in the Aroostook war. He is survived by three sisters, his wife having died a number of years ago. A. S. Chick, of this city, had charge of the funeral arrangements.

A free night school is now open on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights at 31 Mercantile square, in the rooms formerly occupied by "The West Side Mission." Instruction may be had in following branches: Reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, geography, grammar and history. On the above evenings the school is open from 7 to 9 o'clock. A class in singing will be added to the school this evening. This class will be taught on Monday evenings from 7.30 till 8.30 o'clock. Instruction in all the above subjects is offered free to all, regardless of what nationality, color, age or religious belief. The school is supported wholly by free-will contributions. For further information regarding the school call on or address the superintendent, Arthur Jordan, 31 Mercantile square, Bangor.

The work of filling in the wide space between the old water line and the new wharf just below the toll bridge that has been built by the Maine Central railroad to handle the product of the new lumber mill at Ashland is steadily going on and a large portion of the space is now filled. The work that has been going on here and all over the Exchange street yard of the railroad has, or will when it is completed, have made about as much of a change as it is possible to make in a locality. By blasting away the edge on the westerly side and building the new wharf on the water side the width of the previously narrow yard has been more than doubled and the putting in of the new iron span at the approach to the toll bridge gives room for six or seven tracks beneath it instead of the two that were there. This not only enables the handling of the business of the new mill but greatly adds to the facilities for taking care of the increasing general business. The new wharf will be all ready for use with the opening of navigation in the spring.

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...expenditure of public money, the making and performance of contracts, and the passage of measures by the City Council; to prevent illegal, fraudulent or improper payments from the city treasury, and to ascertain and report any facts, which in the interest of good government, should be known to the citizens of Bangor.

III. The Association may from time to time undertake such action in regard to the nomination and election of candidates for municipal offices as may appear to be demanded in the public interest.

IV. The officers of the Association shall be a President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. These officers shall be elected at the annual meetings of the Association, and shall hold their respective offices until their successors are chosen. There shall also be an Executive Committee, consisting of the President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary and the Chairman of each of the permanent committees of the Association.

V. The President shall annually appoint the following permanent committees consisting of three members each, and each committee shall have power to increase its number with the consent of the President as occasion demands. A Finance Committee, whose duty it shall be to provide for raising the necessary funds for the uses and expenses of the Association; a Committee on Streets and Sewers and their use by the public and by private corporations; a Committee on Water and Light Departments; a Committee on Public Schools; a Committee on Police Department; a Committee on Municipal Finances including the levy and assessment of taxes; a Committee on Legislation. It shall be the duty of the various committees to acquaint themselves with the most approved methods of municipal work and the methods in use in this city, and in all ways to promote economy and efficiency in such work and the administration thereof. To this end, they shall endeavor to secure the co-operation of the appropriate Municipal Departments as far as practicable. Each of these committees shall meet whenever called by the President of the Association, or their respective Chairman, and shall each make, at least, one report annually to the Association, and such special reports to the Association, or Executive Committee, as each Committee or the Executive Committee deem necessary.

VI. The election to, or nomination for, any public office of profit or of a political character, of any officer, or member of any Committee shall vacate his office in the Association.

VII. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee. In case of the absence or disability of the President, the Vice-President shall preside at meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee and, in the absence of both, any member may be elected to preside.

VIII. The Secretary shall keep the records of the Association and of the Executive Committee; shall issue notices of all meetings, and shall perform such other services as the Executive Committee shall require. In case of the absence or disability of the Secretary, notices may be issued and other duties performed by such other officer as may be designated by the President or Executive Committee.

IX. The Treasurer shall receive and hold the funds of the association, shall keep proper accounts thereof and shall make payments therefrom subject to such regulations as may be imposed by the executive committee.

X. The executive committee shall have the care, direction and management of the work of the association, and they shall have full power to appoint such special committees, of their own number or of other members of the association, defining the duties of such committees and to employ such attorneys, agents or other assistants as they shall deem necessary and expedient, and they shall generally have power to take such action as in their judgment will best accomplish the purpose of the association.

They may expend all of the funds in the hands of the treasurer, but shall not incur any further liability in the name of the association. They may, by a vote of four-fifths of the whole number, remove any officer of the association. They shall meet regularly as often as they may deem advisable, and they shall also meet at the call of the president or secretary. Five members shall constitute a quorum.

XI. The annual meeting of the association shall be held at such place and at such time, in the month of December, as the executive committee shall appoint.

Special meetings shall be held at the request of the president or executive committee, and also at the request in writing of ten members of the association.

Notices of the meetings shall be mailed to all members twenty-four hours, at least, previous to the time appointed therefor. Ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

XII. Persons proposed for membership shall be recommended by two members in writing and the names submitted by the secretary to the executive committee, and all names approved by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members of that committee shall be certified to the secretary as elected. No person shall become a member of the association until, having been elected, he shall accept membership in writing under the conditions of this constitution by signing the same.

Members may be required to pay an annual assessment not exceeding two dollars ($2), but donations to a larger amount may be solicited and received. The membership of any person may be forfeited by the executive committee for non-payment of dues after six months' previous demand. A person shall not be eligible for membership within one year after he has been refused admission.

XIII. Any vacancy among the officers of the association may be filled by the executive committee until action be taken thereon by the association.

XIV. This constitution may, by a two-thirds affirmative vote of the members present, be changed or amended at any meeting of the association, in the call for which notice of the proposed change or amendment has been given.

THE TEMPERATURE

Atmospheric Conditions as Shown by Methodical Observations.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's Pharmacy:

	Barometer.	Thermometer.
Jan. 4, 7 A. M.	[illegible]	[illegible]
12 M.	[illegible]	[illegible]
6 P. M.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jan. 5, [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6 P. M.	[illegible]	[illegible]

...company in the result, desired all citizens, either capitalists, traders or others, should take stock and a personal interest in the enterprise. A large amount of stock will be placed with the farmers, so that it will be on the co-operative plan. The amount necessary to make a start is $160,000. If Aroostook will pledge $25,000, Piscataquis and Penobscot $15,000 and Bangor and surrounding towns $50,000, then the plant would come to Bangor.

Mr. Maxfield says that the company will employ about 200 men and women in the packing house and every employe will be a stockholder. The directors will manage the funds for the stockholders, who will receive their proportionate share of the profits.

Many women would be employed in the packing house and office and the force of custom house inspectors would be increased by the appointment of inspectors of live stock and dressed meats.

The material for the packing house and stock pens, with all other necessities, would be bought from local dealers in the place in which the company locates. It would be an extensive plant and the buildings must be completed before August 1, 1897.

Mr. Maxfield says that probably from $5,000,000 to $10,000,000 would be put in annual circulation in Maine by this plant. Aroostook county alone ought to raise 50,000 hogs and 30,000 sheep annually, and so ought the other four counties about Bangor, supposing the plant is established in this city. The hogs would be fed on farm waste largely.

Mr. Maxfield, who was born in Exeter and who has lived in Bangor, as well as the West, has had extended experience in this business.

The stock book will be opened for subscription within a few weeks.

The following statement is made by the Farmers' Product Company of Maine:

"Inasmuch as the plan now projected is of large magnitude, the plan requires to be the safest and surest possible. Stockholders must feel that they are always partners in the company, and this they will be all over the eastern part of the State. The sale of the stock depends upon the merit of the enterprise and the plan offered is intended to meet all interests with fairness.

The subject has been discussed for years and so far as possible the general wants and needs of the public have been favored. The projectors have as far as possible catered to the conditions of the State of Maine supporters. It is the aim of the F. P. C. of Maine to bring the producer and consumer nearer together. The farmers and the public generally are anxious to substantially assist any movement which will relieve them from the present condition in Maine.

As a class the producers are not in a condition to assist this movement for their betterment financially to any great extent. The projectors hereby offer a plan which can be made available and profitable both to the farmers and the company. There is no risk in any of the plans suggested. The directors of the company will be business men in this State, and it is intended to conduct the entire business on a high plan and make its system of business that will command the attention and be the admiration of the State of Maine.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. M. G. Shaw, of Bath, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. H. M. Shaw, of Greenville, was in the city Saturday.

Prof. L. J. Paine is visiting in New York for a short time.

Mr. Wingate Cram returned to Harvard on last night's train.

Mr. Harris O. Poor returned to Boston yesterday after passing a week here.

Mr. John Ross is at home from the scene of his lumbering operations up river.

Misses Maud Presby and Rena Roberts, of Ellsworth, were in the city Saturday.

Miss Blanche Boardman left Saturday night for Providence after visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Boardman here.

Mr. Harry F. Ross, who was called home some time ago on account of the illness of his mother, left Sunday night on his return to Harvard.

Miss Blanche Elliott, one of the Bangor school teachers, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. T. P. Elliott, in Dover, returned to Bangor on Saturday.

Mr. Greeley Penley, son of Ferdinand Penley, Esq., of Auburn, who has been ill with typhoid fever, in this city, has so far recovered as to be able to leave for Auburn on Saturday.

Mr. Howard Dow, who has had charge of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's station at Caribou for some time past, has been transferred to Presque Isle where he is now in charge of that station. He takes the place of Mr. T. C. Bohan, who has accepted a position in Houlton.

More Deputies.

Sheriff Brown has completed the list of his deputies, by the appointment of the following:

J. L. Lewis, Springfield.
I. N. Mayo, Hampden.
J. A. Stephens, Lincoln.
Cumming A. Fawcette, Garland.

New Advertisements.

Benson & Miller announce a great sale of jackets at phenomenally low prices. See advertisement.

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See notice of annual meeting of Intern'l North and South American Transp'n & Ex. Co. in Bangor Jan. 11.

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...portrayals and Miss Monk's "Emilia" was very strongly taken. Mr. Hoyt took the part of "Iago" in a very praiseworthy manner, and the other roles were in capable hands.

"The Bride of Seville."

"The Bride of Seville," the pleasing comic opera, will be produced at the Opera House Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus and will be presented in an excellent manner. Rehearsals have been progressing finely, giving promise of smooth performances. The music is bright and tuneful, dancing and marches are introduced, and the calcium light will add to the effect. An orchestra of eleven pieces will play. There will be a dress rehearsal at the Opera House tonight. The representation of the "Bride of Seville" in the window of "The Fashion" attracts much attention.

Interview With Irving B. Ray.

In its account of the famous Bram trial in Boston, the Boston Sunday Herald had the following regarding Mr. Irving B. Ray, a Maine State College graduate and a former member of the Bangor base ball team:

"Down on Cambridge street, near North Russell street, there is a small but busy grocery store, conducted by a representative of the Ray family of Harrington, Me. His name is Irving B. Ray, and Laura Ray, who married Capt. Charles Nash, and with him was murdered on board the barkentine Herbert Fuller, was his sister.

"It was a little after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon when a friend of Mr. Ray rushed into the store and breathlessly announced that Thomas Bram had been pronounced the murderer.

"There was no note of thanksgiving in Mr. Ray's voice last evening when he talked with a reporter for The Herald. He felt that the verdict was just and deserved, but he could not rejoice, because the life of a man was to be sacrificed. That could not restore his sister's life. He said:

"I cannot say the verdict was as I expected it to be. I thought—I was almost sure—there would be a disagreement. I did not think they could convict the man. But they did it, and I think they acted justly. I cannot think that any other man than Bram could have been the murderer."

Mr. Ray, by telegraph, notified the members of the family in Harrington of the result of the trial, soon after verifying the first report.

The Derthick Club.

The Derthick Musical Literary Club will render a Liszt programme on Tuesday evening in the Central church vestry, to begin promptly at 7.30 o'clock. The programme is as follows:

Characterization ... Edward B. Perry
Mrs. Peck.
Violin—"The Bells of Geneva" ... Mr. Roland J. Sawyer.
Duet—"Rhapsodie Hongroise" No. ... Mrs. Ayer and Mrs. Flanders.
Voice—"O, Thou that from Heaven Art" ... Mrs. W. A. Nelson.
Piano—"Ave Maria" ... Mrs. F. L. Tuck.
Voice—"The Lorely" ... Mrs. W. P. W. Veazie.
Piano—"Dreams of Love" ... Mrs. Ralph L. Flanders.
Voice—"Thou'rt Like a Flower" ... Miss Edith Gratien.
"Chorus of Reapers," from "Prometheus" ... Under direction of Mr. Silsby.

The analysis will be read by Mrs. Peck.

Central Club Lecture.

The lecture in the Central Club course this evening will be given by Rev. J. L. Jenkins, D. D., of Portland, on the topic, "Expression and Some of Its Forms." Dr. Jenkins is a well known preacher of much ability and a lecturer of interesting and profitable qualities. His lecture this evening will be both entertaining and instructive and a large audience will doubtless hear him.

VIRGINIA'S ICE MINE.

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One of the greatest curiosities in the United States, or in the world, perhaps, is the wonderful ledge of ice which exists, even in the midst of the hottest summer, in Scott county, Va. This natural icehouse is situated on the north side of Stone mountain and about six miles from the mouth of a small stream known as Stony creek. The marvel is said to have been known to at least one of the early settlers, a Mr. Danridge, who, it is alleged, discovered it while deer hunting away back in 1830. Owing to the fact that the land on which it was situated could not be bought, Mr. Danridge positively refused to tell of the whereabouts of the cold ledge, and only visited the place when it was absolutely necessary to obtain a supply to be used in case of sickness.

The old man died many years ago, and from that time until 1893 the location of Danridge's ice mine was unknown, the old gentleman having never even taken his own family into the secret.

In the year last mentioned, however, a party of herb diggers visited the unfrequented region contiguous to Stone mountain and were fortunate enough to rediscover the lost ice mine.

During two or three months in the middle of summer the ice is only protected from the sun's rays by a thick growth of moss. The formation of the ice layer is similar to that of a coal vein, being thin in some places and thicker in others, the average thickness being about four feet. Persons of some scientific attainments who have visited the place for the purpose of studying the wonder say that it has the appearance of having been there since the time of the ice age, which the geologists talk so much about. Another plausible theory is that somewhere beneath the bed is situated a great natural laboratory where ether is constantly formed and expelled, and that the process of freezing is now constantly going on. Whatever view is taken it is one of the greatest natural wonders the state affords.—St. Louis Republic.

...was 1,061 deer, 45 moose, 50 caribou.

At numerous stations game was killed but not shipped. The hunters came in teams and hauled it away. At Mile 50 deer and five moose were killed, and at Alten seven deer were shot by local sportsmen. At Katahdin Iron Works two big moose were killed and not shipped. General Passenger Agent Houghton desires to learn the total number of deer killed on the B. & A. the past season and he has sent to some 400 guides the following letter:

"We are desirous of getting at the amount of game killed in the territory adjacent to our railroad during the three open months of October, November and December, 1896. With this in view we would be pleased to have you keep an accurate account of the game killed by yourself and the parties you have guided and on the first day of January, 1897, fill out the enclosed blank and mail to me. This information will be eagerly sought after by the sportsmen of the country and will advertise you among thousands of sportsmen with whom we are in correspondence.

"It is our intention to mail this letter, together with the blank report, to every guide in our territory. We may not, however, reach all of the guides, and in case you know of one who has not received a blank, kindly ask him to give me the information by letter, which will answer every purpose."

MARINE JOURNAL.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK—Ar 3d, bark Elmbanks, Duncan, South Amboy; 3d, bark Lucy A Nickels, Hong Kong; sch C [illegible], Jacksonville.
FERNANDINA—Ar 3d, sch Carrie A B [illegible] Keyes, Matanzas.
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PERTH AMBOY—Cld 3d, sch [illegible] Winslow, San Domingo.
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Science: Story of the Progress of Science during the Nineteenth Century, a series of papers by Dr. Henry Smith Williams, supplemented by contributions on special subjects by expert scientists. Articles on the relations of curious psychological manifestations to physiology by Dr. Andrew Wilson.

American Features: The Mexico of To-Day, a series by Charles F. Lummis, splendidly illustrated—the result of a recent visit to Mexico undertaken for Harper's Magazine. Mexico is preeminently a silver producing country, and its monetary operations rest entirely on a silver basis. Owing to the keen discussion of certain economic problems in connection with issues of urgent importance in American politics, these papers will command general attention. American Historical Papers by Woodrow Wilson, John Bach MacMaster, and James Barnes. The true story of Sheridan's Ride, by Gen. G. A. Forsyth. Continuation of Howells's Personal Reminiscences of eminent literary Americans.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BANGOR. The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Rooms on TUESDAY, the twelfth day of January next, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the choice of Directors and such other business as may legally come before them. E. G. WYMAN, Cashier. Bangor, Dec. 11th, 1896. dec11 td

Harper's Weekly IN 1897.

With the end of 1896 Harper's Weekly will have lived forty years. In these forty years the paper has [illegible] the great political events of the country [illegible] and letters for the instruction of the home, and [illegible] an illustrated record of human manners.

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Cartoons will continue to be a feature. Social Stories, A New England story by Miss Mary E. Wilkins, will begin in January. A tale of a Greek uprising against the Turks, by Mr. E. F. Benson, the author of "Dodo," will follow. A sequel to "The House Boat on the Styx," by Mr. John Kendrick Bangs, illustrated by Mr. Peter Newell.

More Short Stories will appear in the Weekly than it has been possible to publish during 1896. Departments: Mr. W. D. Howells' "Life and Letters" have been among the most charming features of periodical literature; Mr. E. S. Martin, and others will contribute discussions of what is going on in "This Busy World." "Amateur Sport" will remain the most important department of its kind in the country.

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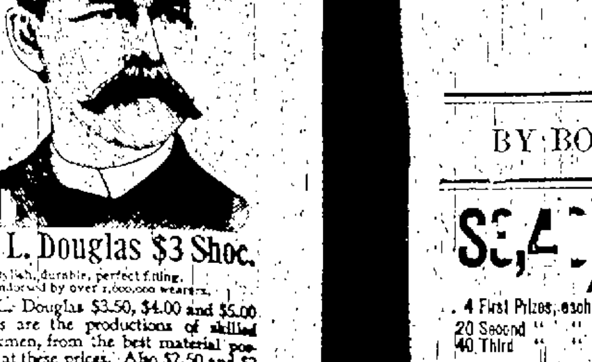

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THE BILLET POOL.

Effort to Place It in Position to Dictate Again.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 1.—A special committee appointed at the last meeting of the American Bessemer Association, to figure out a plan by which the defunct pool may be again placed on its feet as the great dictator of prices in the iron and steel world, has completed its report, which will be presented at a meeting of the members to be held Monday, probably in Pittsburg. The identity of the committee is not known.

The plan is that the larger concerns will buy up the allotment of other and smaller mills and pay the owners to practically retire from the billet manufacture business with expectation of pocketing dividends that they will receive from the concerns that will then make billets for the whole country. In this respect the billet pool will emulate the methods of the nail pool with more hopes of success. The consummation of the project means that the trade in billets and finished products will be confined to the larger producers or the concentration of production placed in the hands of a few large firms who will then control the production, set the price and share with idle mill owners.

A STATEMENT

Issued by the West End Street Railway Company.

Boston, Jan. 1.—The West End street railway company issued a statement today which says: Old men may file applications for work, and will be considered only in the regular course of business by the application bureau. The company has all the men required for the present condition of traffic and no further engagements are required at this time. No man will be discharged for the purpose of reinstating old employes. The company will always be ready to meet the grievance committee of their own employes and considers that no personal interview with the Faneuil Hall committee is necessary.

UNSETTLED

As Regards Local Snow.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Washington, Jan. 1, 8 P. M.

Indications:

Forecast for Saturday for New England, partly cloudy, warmer; possibly local snows in eastern and northern portions, southerly winds.

Local Forecast.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Local forecast for Saturday: Partly cloudy to cloudy weather, probably without precipitation; warmer, southerly winds.

... 513 bags and bales, against 913,971 bags and bales in 1895. The shortage in sales was 61,250,173 pounds. The shortage in receipts, 250,438 bags and bales. The total stock on hand carried over in Boston is just about the same as last year, 55,608,000 pounds against 56,389,300 pounds Jan. 1, 1896.

The flock of the United States was 38,298,783 in 1896, against 42,294,064 in 1895. The American wool clip was 272,474,708 pounds in 1896 against 294,296,726 pounds in 1895. Complete returns from every market and state in the union show that the supply of domestic wool carried over is 123,568,090 pounds against 102,834,500 last year. The supply of foreign wool carried over is 26,844,600 pounds, against 31,533,300 last year. The total stock of wool, domestic and foreign, carried over by the United States is 150,432,080 pounds, against 134,167,800, domestic and foreign, carried over last year, a net increase in stock carried over of 16,234,280 pounds. The increased holdings for wires are in western markets and by farmers in the country.

LYNCHING FEARED.

Brutal Murder of a Tennessee Landlord.

Mijan, Tenn., Jan. 1.—Six negroes are under arrest for the brutal murder of Captain H. P. Miller, proprietor of the Southern Pacific hotel, whose body was found yesterday in an unused barroom with his head beaten to a pulp. The negroes are heavily guarded, but if proof of their guilt is obtained they will undoubtedly be lynched, as 2,000 people are at fever heat over the affair. Miller was beaten over the head with brass knuckles and the cash drawer robbed of its contents.

MADE A PROTEST.

Proposed Reduction in Wages Angered Men.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 1.—Notices were posted at the Homestead Steel Works of the Carnegie Company that a readjustment would be made in the wages of the employes in two open hearth mills which will affect the tonnage men, and probably amount to 20 to 30 per cent. reduction in wages. The workmen were angered and sent a committee to present their protests to the general superintendent who told them he would lay the matter before the company's officials.

THREE KILLED.

By Escaping Coal Gas.

Youngstown, O., Jan. 1.—Early today boarders at the home of James Betz, near the Struther furnace, returned home from a party, and found Betz, his wife and two year old child dead, and four boarders unconscious. The latter were carried into the air and revived. Escaping coal gas was the cause of asphyxiation.

The Murderer as Yet Unknown.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Emma Bertz was shot and killed in the house 1,216 North Fourth street to-day. The police have been unable to learn with any certainty who did the shooting.

BOUND OVER.

Charles F. Philbrook Arrested on the Charge of Stealing Peter O'Loughlin's Pig.

Friday noon Peter O'Loughlin, from whose barn a pig was stolen recently, after being killed, while in concealment near the residence of Charles F. Philbrook, on Stillwater avenue, saw Philbrook come out of the house with a basket, go to some bushes and place the contents of the basket there.

When Philbrook went back to the house O'Loughlin went to the spot and found a hind quarter of a pig, which he claims is part of the animal which he lost. He sent for the police and Deputy Chief Bowen and Patrolman Keslde went to the place. They found the hind quarter of pig and the basket on the banking at Philbrook's house. It contained a telltale pig's bristle. They arrested Philbrook and he was before the Municipal Court, being bound over to the February term of the Supreme Judicial Court under $300 bonds. He failed to get bail.

The "Arabian (K)Nights" who were arrested on Thursday night on Hancock street for gambling were before the court yesterday and each was fined $3 and costs.

Drunkenness cases were as follows:

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Excelsiors.

	1	2	3	Total	Spares
Parsons	78	84	68	230	4
Morse	70	75	116	261	
Blckmore	83	73	97	253	
Parool	83	81	87	251	1
Wild	81	71	86	244	
	404	384	428	1216	

Defenders.

	1	2	3	Total	Spares
Mann	106	77	77	242	
Jordan	71	81	76	226	
Speir	63	70	80	212	
Casey (sub)	81	79	80	240	
Holden	85	83	82	262	
	405	397	403	1204	

New County Attorney.

The term of Charles A. Bailey, Esq., as county attorney, expired with the end of the old year and B. L. Smith, Esq., of Patten, formerly of Bangor, takes his place. Mr. Bailey retires with the respect, esteem and confidence of all, after having made an excellent record as a faithful and efficient official. He will devote himself to his large legal practice in this city.

Mr. Smith, the new county attorney, is one of the brightest and best informed among the lawyers of the county. He is a man of much energy and the duties of the office will undoubtedly be performed by him in a very able manner.

List of Jail Commitments.

Sheriff Brown has made up the following list of the whole number of commitments to the Penobscot county jail for the year 1896, 908, and for the following offences:

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Assault ... 7
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Campaigning With Grant, by General Horace Porter, is the title of a series of articles which has been in preparation for many years. General Porter was an aide on General Grant's staff and a close friend of his chief, and the diary which he kept through the war, is the basis of the present articles, which are striking pen-pictures of campaign life and scenes. They will be fully illustrated. The first one is in the November Century.

A new novel by Marion Crawford, author of "Mr. Isaacs," "Saracinesca," "Casa Braccio," etc., entitled, "A Rose of Yesterday," a story of modern life in Europe, with American characters, begins in November. The first of a series of engravings, made by the famous wood-engraver T. Cole, of the old English masters also is in this issue. Your dealers will be announced from time to time.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1897.

The Republicans who are engaged in a desperate fight over the Kentucky Senatorship seem inclined to place personal ambition above the general welfare of the country. A Republican Senator is needed from Kentucky and it will be a lasting shame if the opportunity is lost by reason of any factional quarrel.

The Democratic papers are beginning to note the passing of Bryan. His lecture tour is proving a failure and with the glamor of a Presidential nomination gone Bryan appears to be a very ordinary individual after all. His notoriety as a public character was struck by a very severe frost early in November last.

The New York Evening Post talks about the men who have bought and paid for protection going to Washington to demand it from the politicians whom they have put in power. The great tariff hearing was held November third on which day the American people decided in favor of tariff revision by a large majority.

Congressman Boutelle appeared before the Ways and Means Committee Thursday to speak for the Maine lumber interest. He argued the importance of a duty to protect this great industry from the effects of foreign competition, the experience of the past year or more affording conclusive evidence of the disastrous effects of free lumber.

The braves of Tammany Hall have donned their war paint, but the fight this time is between the rival factions of the organization. Sheehan says Purroy is a coward and a blackguard, while Purroy retorts in equally picturesque language on the disreputable record of Sheehan. As both speak as experts the public will not question the accuracy of either opinion.

Poor old Jones! His prediction that Bryan was going to be elected President, on the basis of authentic reports received at the Popocratic headquarters, having been only a matter of nearly a million votes out of the way, he now declares that the Popocrats were counted out. This statement is rendered doubly ridiculous by the fact that in several of the States carried for Bryan Democrats themselves insist that the result was accomplished by the most barefaced fraud.

The New York Journal has obtained and published answers from leading men in the large business centers of the country to the following question:

"In your opinion, has business increased since the last election, and what is the prospect for the new year?"

The majority of the answers are to the effect that while there has been no great improvement in trade since the election the business outlook is very favorable for the coming year. As a rule, each person replied from his own immediate point of view and in respect to his own business, but those in position to take a broad outlook gave encouraging reports. The grocers, dry goods merchants, boot and shoe men and leather dealers see a decided improvement, both in the present and the future.

The Alabama railroad disaster, with its long list of killed will bring to mind the fact that the public rarely hears now of the burning to death of passengers by overturned car stoves. It is only a few years ago that the car stove was figuring largely in the most fatal railroad disas-

a contest. According to the figures given by the committee, Mr. Tillman was elected Governor by a plurality of 1,000, and the report said that further investigation would show that he was entitled to double these figures. For an hour or more the report was discussed, and a resolution declaring for a contest and pledging the support of the party to Mr. Tillman was carried unanimously. Attorneys were appointed to prepare the pleadings in the contest. These will be submitted to the Legislature, which will meet next Monday.

Maine Savings Banks.

The report of Examiner Timberlake shows that the savings banks of Maine are in excellent condition despite the prevailing tendency of the times for the past few years. There are fifty-two savings banks, eighteen trust companies and thirty-four loan and building associations in the State. The aggregate amount of assets held by these institutions in November, 1896, was $70,459,586.26, an increase of $1,052,369.74 during the year. The capital, invested in our State banking institutions is nearly double that of the national banks in the State. The continual prosperity and growth of these institutions even under the trying conditions referred to, fully demonstrate the entire confidence reposed in them by the people. The number of depositors has increased since 1892 from 11,833 to 103,115; amount of deposits from $1,870,103.18 to $67,476,805.58; average deposit from $158.65 to $352.37. This is a showing that speaks in eloquent terms of the industry and prudence of the people.

The examiner says that the financial agitation of the past year was "a constraint upon our banking institutions," and during that time "the banks, with their usual conservatism, refrained to a large extent from making new loans and investments, or entering into new contracts." We are pleased to note, although a trifle late, that the Commercial recognizes the menace to our business institutions involved in the financial agitation which it advocated during the campaign, and not only admits that this necessary conservatism on the part of the banks "detracted from their earnings and lessened their growth," but declares that it "was a wise course to pursue and their present prosperity is due to this prudent action." After a campaign is over the Commercial is more apt to see facts as they actually exist. This was true of the campaign of 1892 when it advocated the Democratic free trade platform only to urge a protective tariff when its party began to revise the tariff along the lines of that platform. Now it sees the danger contained in the last Chicago platform, resulting in an agitation that "detracted from the earnings and lessened the growth" of our savings banks.

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See our counter of

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100 Pieces Elegant 75c Moire Ribbons.
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And small quantities of other goods which sell so quickly that we will not mention them here.

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THE CUBAN STRUGGLE.

Report that Spanish Cabinet Has Approved Weyler's Recall.

Active Warfare Witnessed from Deck of Steamer Tiverton.

Madrid, Jan. 1.—The semi-official newspapers defend the action of the government in seizing the issues of the Heraldo and Imparcial upon the ground that the articles published by those papers denouncing the policy of Capt. Gen. Weyler in Cuba had a tendency to create discontent among the troops in Cuba and to encourage American filibusters.

The government will not permit the objectionable articles to be transmitted by telegraph.

Public opinion is greatly excited over the reports that the Spanish troops in Cuba are compelled to undergo extreme hardships through hunger and nakedness and that those who are confined in the hospitals by illness or because of wounds are suffering from neglect and an insufficient supply of medicines.

As large sums of money have been sent to Cuba from Spain for the purpose of furnishing clothing, medicines, etc., to the troops, the question is asked where has this money gone.

El Dia asserts that a ministerial crisis is probable as the result of a change of policy.

It is rumored that the cabinet has approved the proposal to recall Capt. Gen. Weyler, but that President Canovas has delayed action in the matter, giving no reasons for so doing.

All the ministers met at the residence of Premier Canovas last evening and drank to a toast expressing hope for the speedy conclusion of peace in the disturbed colonies.

Drowned While Trying to Land.

A special despatch from Havana to the Imparcial says that 51 men comprising the filibustering expedition recently landed upon a desert key by the steamer Three Friends, have been drowned. The men were hastily put ashore on the barren island, after the Three Friends had been pursued by Spanish gunboats, with which the filibustering steamer had an exchange of shots, and the cargo of arms, ammunition, provisions, etc., on board the steamer were also landed with the men.

The Three Friends being closely pursued by the Spanish war vessels it was compelled to put the men ashore on this barren island or take them back to the United States and it was in making an attempt to leave the island, the despatch says, that they were drowned. The despatch also says that 300 rifles which the filibusters had with them were lost in the sea.

Six Engagements Witnessed.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—The Cuban insurgents are waging an active warfare against the Spanish army in the eastern provinces of the island, according to reports brought to this port by Capt. Gray of the British steamship Tiverton, which arrived yesterday from Nuevitas and Santiago de Cuba. Soon after leaving Santiago no less than six engagements on the edge of the Manzanillo mountains, between the insurgents and the Spanish soldiers, were witnessed from the deck of the Tiverton.

Capt. Gray says that shot and shell were scattered in all directions in the sea not far from the vessel and that many apparently wounded and dying men could be seen rolling down the steep mountains to the edge of the sea.

The insurgents, the captain says, were undoubtedly a part of Gomez's army, who had been sent to the coast to cover an insurgent expedition, to the interior of the island. Nearly all the way from Santiago to Cape Maysi insurgent camps were visible.

While the Tiverton was in Nuevitas the insurgents were encamped on the outskirts of the town and could be plainly seen in the early morning preparing breakfast. They even went so far, Capt. Gray declares, as to send challenges to the Spanish officers to attack them, but slipped away when the soldiers appeared. When the Tiverton left Santiago the number of sick was growing less and the health of the city was much improved.

An Elephant for the Insurgents.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—"Gypsy," the man-killing elephant, is not to be electrocuted. She has been reprieved and is to be sent to Cuba to trample down the ranks of the Spaniards. Her owner, W. H. Harris, the showman, sent a telegram to Senor Palma, the representative of the Cuban insurgents in New York last evening, tendering the insurgents the four-footed terror and she is now in her cage on the Panhandle track in Rockville street, subject to the orders of the Cuban junta.

The Laurada Sails for Baltimore.

GOVERNOR BLACK.

Inauguration Day Ceremonies in New York.

Brief Inaugural Address by the New Governor.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Gov. Frank S. Black was inaugurated to-day. He was ushered in his inaugural day. The ceremony was a simple and impressive one. The governor took the oath of office in the assembly chamber in the presence of ... Republicans from all over the state.

The walls of the chamber surrounding the speaker's rostrum had been appropriately draped for the occasion, with the national and state flags and the coat of arms of the state. In the center a large platform extending out from the speaker's desk accommodated the inaugural party and the state officers.

Admission to the assembly chamber was by card. Several thousand invitations had been issued by Secretary of State Palmer and the chamber and corridors immediately adjoining were comfortably crowded. The floor of the members had been removed and seats were provided for about 1,500 guests.

Gov. Black and his staff arrived by a special train from Troy at 10.10 under the escort of the 21st regiment, 6th separate company of Troy, and were met at the station by the 10th battalion of Albany and the 3rd Signal Corps.

They proceeded to the executive chamber and met the retiring governor and his staff. Here, Secretary of State Palmer, and the Episcopal bishop of Albany, the Rt. Rev. Wm. Croswell Doane, were waiting. The inaugural party proceeded to the assembly chamber at 11.30.

The retiring and incoming governors met with cordiality on all sides as they appeared upon the inaugural platform. The secretary of state ... Rev. Bishop Doane led in prayer. Gov. Morton was introduced by Secretary of State Palmer.

In his valedictory he referred to the principal acts of the state during the last two years and congratulated Gov. Black upon his accession to office, particularly by reason of the fact that the financial and administrative affairs of the state are in a prosperous condition. He would have a prospect of a legislature which would be in full accord with him ... will of the people that the ... upon him ... the ... faithfully ...

The secretary of state then administered the constitutional oath of office to Gov.-elect Black. The address of Gov. Black delivered after being inaugurated by the secretary of state was brief.

Ever watchful of the people's welfare he said and to execute their will, which looks for one purpose for which alike the supreme command and from them the last order must always be made. No mistaken sense of power would prevent the just and careful treatment which was every citizen's due. No pride of opinion would retard the fullest recognition and acknowledgment of any view that might tend to the public good, and no labor and energy ... single creative act.

Concluding, he said: "This government rests upon a foundation in which mutual tolerance is a chief support. The recognition of this cohesive power has built up upon this continent a government so ample and strong that no shock of foreign revolution or disaster has disturbed it, and even the clash and turbulence of civil war have not destroyed it.

"The foundations of our government are laid secure and deep, but a structure which even war could not overthrow may yield to intolerance and distrust. There are those who believe that they see threatening signs and portents that predict a storm. There are marks which I fear point to the tendency of dissatisfaction and unrest.

"Marvelous as our growth has been, we have not passed the point where human frailties still control, and where human passions must be held in check. History, always repeating itself in circles, will distinguish that as the most enlightened government yet known which has so cultivated and raised its people up that they secure its mutual honor, and ... will ... exhibit in its ... the highest ... of ... "

The governor's remarks received generous recognition. This ended the ceremonies which were enlivened by patriotic strains from the Tenth Regiment band. After the friends of the two governors had exchanged hand-shakes with them, the inaugural party returned to the executive chamber where Gov. Black with his staff received the public in large numbers from 1 until 2 o'clock.

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turned car stove cuts very little figure in railroad disasters unless it be on some road in the South or the far West." This has removed one danger to life and limb and made traveling so much safer.

The Philadelphia North American cites a case in Kansas as affording an excellent illustration of what the people escaped when they refused to have anything to do with the Populist crowd headed by Bryan. Lane county, Kansas, sport a number of Populist administrators. By their peculiar methods of administering the affairs of the county, it wasn't long before they had heaped an indebtedness of $125,000 upon the people. The indebtedness was in the shape of bonds, which were sold to eastern investors. Well, the other day the Lane County Commissioners got together, and deciding that something had to be done, they declared the county insolvent, stopped the payment of interest on its bonds and repudiated every penny of the debt. That's Populism. That's the way they do things in Kansas. It would be the same if the Pops were in control of the affairs of the Union. They would repudiate with greater glee, then, because the debt would be larger. It is a principle of Populism that the most effective way to get rid of a public debt is to repudiate it. A private debt, according to their doctrine, is to be settled in fifty-cent dollars. When the Lane County Commissioners took this action they should have telegraphed to Lincoln as follows: "Have just repudiated $125,000 worth. Hurrah for 1900!" It will please the man there to know that his ideas still live.

Tennessee is to have another Gubernatorial contest, but it will differ from that of two years ago, in the main feature that the Republicans will do the contesting. Ever since the election in November last, which resulted in the choice on the face of the returns of Robert L. Taylor, the Democratic candidate, by a plurality of over 8,000, a contest by the Republicans has been expected, the latter asserting that gross frauds were practised by Democratic election officers in West Tennessee. Since the election the Republican State executive committee has been making a quiet investigation, and while it is in no wise complete, the committee believes that it has unearthed enough frauds in West Tennessee counties to show that G. N. Tillman, their candidate for Governor, was elected by a plurality of 1,000. A contest was decided upon at a meeting of the Republican State [illegible] [illegible]

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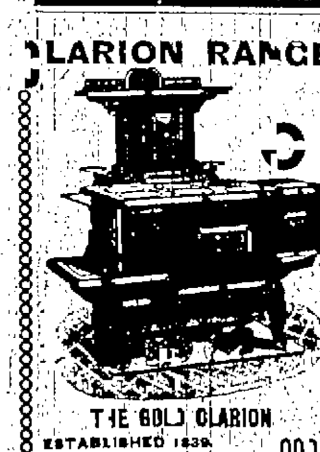

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to rule 15 and so is ordered to promptly report to the board any failure of officers to comply therewith. The board will hold the marshal responsible for the strict enforcement of the order.

This order was placed in the hands of the marshal this morning and is likely to create much excitement.

NO AGREEMENT

Reached by the Two Factions of the Prohibition Party.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Members of the executive central committees of the national party and the broad gauge Prohibitionists, arrived at the Sherman House yesterday, to attend a meeting called for the purpose of perfecting plans for pushing the organization. L. B. Logan, of Alliance, O., chairman of the executive committee, and Mrs. Helen M. Gougar, of Indianapolis, were among those who arrived.

When asked regarding the reported negotiations for union of the two prohibition parties and the coincidence of the old party's national executive committee being called to meet at the Sherman House, Wednesday, Secretary Thomas, of the national party executive committee, said:

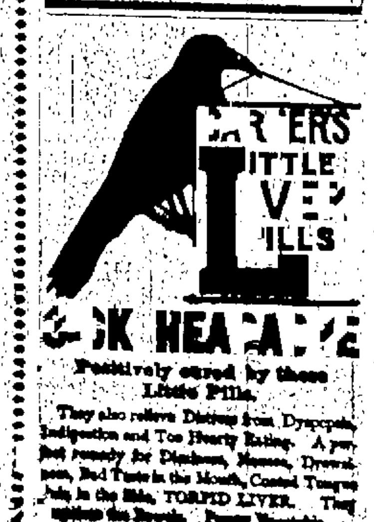
"The old liners have met and adjourned, and have decided to go along in their old way. I have talked with leaders of the national party and there is no disposition to abandon the fight or make overtures for union with anybody."

CREW LANDED.

Steamer Warwick a Total Wreck.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 1.—The passengers and crew of the steamer Warwick, from Glasgow for St. John, which struck on Yellow Muire ledge Wednesday night, were rescued by a fishing vessel and landed at Seal Cove last night. The steamer is a total wreck.

A movement is on foot at Toronto to make a pool for the purpose of sending Champion Jake Gaudaur and Eddie Durnan, Ned Hanlan's nephew, abroad. It is proposed that enough money be raised to send the pair to England, and probably to Australia, and give them all the backing they want.



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Matthews was arraigned in the police court this morning charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Calvin A. Yeaton, watchman in the Washington mills yesterday noon. The court thought the proceedings should be deferred until the medical examiner was prepared to report the result of the autopsy. Matthews was held without bail for a hearing next Tuesday.

SUIT COMMENCED

To Dissolve Stock Exchange Under Anti-Trust Laws.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 1.—Suit has been commenced in the United States circuit court here to dissolve the Kansas City Live Stock exchange. The petition which is long charges that the object of the organization is to control the charges for the handling, selling and buying of live stock at the Kansas City stock yards and that its existence restrains trade and is against public policy and is a violation of the federal anti-trust law.

The petition alleges that the live stock exchange and the stock yards company working together and doing business in common are operating a monopoly in that it is impossible for any other than a member of the exchange to do business in Kansas City markets and the placing of obstruction and embargo on the marketing of all stock shipped from the western states to the Kansas City market which is not consigned to the Kansas City stock yards company, or to the defendants or other members of the exchange who alone are permitted by said stock yards company to transact business at its yards. The application for a temporary injunction in the suit will be heard before Judge Foster of the federal court on Jan. 11.

THE MILES CASE.

Suit Brought by Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.

Boston, Jan. 1.—The Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. has brought in the state supreme court a bill in equity against its defaulting treasurer, Frank P. Miles, and Richardson, Hill & Co. to have Miles' interest in a number of shares of American Sugar Refining Co. stock, held by the bankers as collateral, applied to the payment of an indebtedness of $25,000 due from Miles to the plaintiff.

The stock was bought by the bankers for Miles who, it is alleged, borrowed a portion of the purchase money from the banking firm, which now holds the stock as security for the money advanced. The trust company wants the stock sold and Miles' interest in the proceeds turned over to them. An order of notice was issued returnable Jan. 12.

CHARGED WITH FRAUD.

Frederick Brown Placed Under Arrest by Postoffice Authorities.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Frederick Brown, about 35 years old, has been placed under arrest here by the post office authorities, who claim that he is responsible for the fraudulent business methods of the Union Drug Co., of which concern they say he was the proprietor. Brown was taken before U. S. Commissioner Fiske today and held in $1,000 until Jan. 7.

Brown is charged with securing merchandise from various firms throughout the country, principally drug houses, without paying for it and disposing of the goods to his own advantage. The inspector who arrested Brown has received over 100 complaints from firms that have been victimised.

The charge against the prisoner is that of using the mails in a scheme to defraud.

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BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. Levi D. Crook has been up river on a business trip of a few days this week.

Mr. William B. Patten, of Somerville, Mass., who has been visiting with friends in the city, has returned home.

The next meeting of the city council will be the regular monthly session which occurs on Thursday evening of next week.

Mr. F. J. Philbrook, of this city, has returned home from a successful hunting trip up river, bringing with him two deer that he shot.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Prentiss, of Belfast, are in the city making a short visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Prentiss.

Dr. Frank E. Nye, of this city, who has been living in Brooksville for some time, has been brought to Brewer again and will be cared for at the city farm.

Mr. Allston Sargent, who has been home from Boston for a short time visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sargent at South Brewer, has returned to his studies.

Mrs. J. H. Witherell, of Oakland, one of the chief officers of the Degree of Honor in Maine, is in the city and was present at the installation of the officers of the Brewer lodge last evening.

It has been decided by the city authorities to have Sarah Burbler, of South Brewer, who has become insane, placed at the city farm for the present, it being deemed unsafe for her to be at liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barstow were given a pleasant surprise Thursday evening by a number of their friends who called on them to hold a "watch party." The evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner, refreshments of ice cream and cake adding to the occasion, and after 1896 had taken its departure and 1897 had made its appearance on time the party adjourned.

The first annual ball of the Brewer police was held at City Hall Friday evening and was very successful. There was a large attendance and a pleasing order of dances was carried out to music furnished by Abbott's orchestra. Mr. R. W. Currier was the floor manager. Delicious refreshments were served at intermission and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Next week is the Week of Prayer and the First Congregational, First M. E. and First Baptist churches will hold union services on each evening of the week. On Monday and Tuesday evenings the meetings will be held at the First Congregational church; on Wednesday and Thursday at the Baptist church and on Friday and Saturday at the Methodist church. The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

The Brewer Lodge of the Degree of Honor installed its officers last evening, and the occasion was of a semi-public nature, all members of the United Workmen and their families being invited. There was a large attendance and a fine supper was served in addition to the exercises and all present enjoyed the evening. The following is the list of officers installed: C. H., Sophia Hussey; L. H., Celia Atherton; V. C., Hattie Atwood; Recorder, Vesta E. Eaton; Financier, Nellie Carter; Receiver, Grace Fletcher; Usher, Josie Clay; I. W., Lizzie Sargent; O. W., Reuben Clay; P. C., Mary Berry.

Sunday Services.

First Congregational church, Rev. R. B. Merrill, pastor. Sermon at 10.30 a.m. Sunday School at 11.45 a.m.; communion service at 2.30 p.m.; people's praise service at 7 p.m. Miss Effie Gratton will sing and Secretary R. A. Jordan will speak. Y. P. S. C. E. consecration meeting at 8. All cordially invited.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

New Year's Reception at The White House Friday.

Many Distinguished People in Attendance—Profuse Floral Decorations.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The annual New Year's reception at the White House took place today according to long established custom. It constituted the yearly ordeal of the President and the mistress of the White House, for they must shake hands with many hundreds, several thousands in fact, of their fellow citizens and a large number of distinguished foreigners.

As on last New Year's day the crowd that participated in and witnessed the reception was very large. It was the last function of the sort in which Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland will figure as the principal characters.

The interior of the mansion had been lavishly decorated for the occasion. A suggestion of the tropics was given by a survey of the decorative arrangement. In the blue room, the official chamber of the White House, with its delicately tapestried walls, the artistic effect was well carried out. It was in this apartment that the President, Mrs. Cleveland and the receiving party stood.

The red room held a profusion of tall rubber plants and palms. Jardinieres of Grecian Lingo holding growing plants comported well with the permanent hanging of the green room. In the broad corridor leading from the east room past the reception chambers to the private staircase at the western end a few rubber trees and palms suffered for decorative purposes in all the space that could be obtained where was necessary to accommodate the constantly moving throng.

Those who paid their respects to the President and Mrs. Cleveland passed out of the receiving chamber into the green room and thence into the spacious east room, the scene of so many historic occurrences.

Six hundred people is the ordinary capacity of this apartment. Today it was filled to an uncomfortable degree with foreign envoys, officers of the army and navy, high judicial functionaries, senators, representatives and many civilians with a large number of ladies. They were not so crowded, however, as to be unable to see and appreciate the floral beauty displayed.

Eleven o'clock was the hour set for the beginning of the reception. Before that time members of the diplomatic corps, ambassadors, ministers, attaches and their wives and daughters had begun to arrive and were ushered into the red room, where they awaited the signal to pass along the line. Out in the public lobby the United States Marine band waited the signal to play. Suddenly the instruments burst forth into "Hail to the Chief."

Down the private staircase came the President, Mrs. Cleveland, the members of the cabinet and the ladies led by Col. John M. Wilson, U. S. A., commissioner of public buildings and grounds and master of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland, Vice-President and Mrs. Stevenson, Sec'y and Mrs. Olney, Sec'y and Mrs. Carlisle, Attorney-General and Mrs. Harmon, Postmaster-General and Mrs. Wilson, Sec'y and Miss Herbert, Sec'y and Mrs. Lamont, Sec'y and Miss Morton, and Sec'y and Miss Francis, in imposing procession, passed along the corridors to the blue room and took their places, the President and Mrs. Cleveland at one end with Secretary Olney and Col. Wilson at their right and the ladies forming a line across the apartment.

The cabinet officers modestly dropped to the rear and entered into conversation with some of the ladies who composed that contingent commonly designated as "behind the line."

Among the ladies behind the line were: Mrs. Elkins, wife of Senator Elkins, Mrs. Gear, wife of Senator Gear, Mrs. Gordon, wife of Senator Gordon, Mrs. Hale, wife of Senator Hale, Mrs. Lodge, wife of Senator Lodge, Mrs. Reed, wife of Speaker Reed, Mrs. Thurber, wife of Private Secretary Thurber, Mrs. Holmes Conrad, wife of the solicitor general, Mrs. Eckels, wife of the comptroller of the currency, Mrs. Miles, wife of Gen. Miles and Mrs. Sawtelle, wife of Gen. Sawtelle.

REAR END COLLISION.

Two Lives Lost in a Freight Train Accident.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 1.—A rear-end collision occurred this morning between two freight trains on the Central Hudson R. R. five miles west of this [illegible]

THE BRAM TRIAL.

The Famous Case Went to the Jury Friday.

An Hour Concluded His Plea and the Judge Charged the Jury.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Thomas M. Bram wore an anxious look as he came into court this morning. There is no mistaking the fact that he is undergoing a severe mental strain, and that its effects are commencing to be seen. Bram looks thinner today than he has at any previous period. In the race for places in the court room the women seemed to have come out ahead, fully four-fifths of the spectators being of the fair sex.

District Attorney Hoar resumed his argument immediately after the judges had taken their seats. He assailed Bram in the beginning, first calling attention to the plucky conduct of the negro, Spencer, and saying that Bram showed none of that man's courage.

"Spencer was not a man to clasp the knees of people. He did not ask whether there were any free persons on board, nor did he make any signals of distress. He went to work and did just what Bram ought to have done. He went to see what was the matter on board, what had happened to these people, and how they had been killed. He did not know how many of the crew were afloat.

"He knew that only Lester Monks and Charley Brown could be afraid of him, beside the dead bodies. He went straight down there, went to Frank Loheu, saw the captain on the floor, went around and got a revolver and went straight into the cabin."

Having assured the jury that, if they left Bram unconvicted, murder on the high seas would go forever unpunished, Mr. Hoar asked why Bram had put up that story about the second mate being forward. That one statement was enough to convict him, because he knew that man was down stairs. And why did Bram not bring that lantern forward, why did he leave it in Lester Monks' room?

It was for the mighty, good reason because if he brought it back, Lester Monks' eyes might have lighted on the dead body of the dead second mate and that would have started an inquiry.

Mr. Hoar went on to describe the movements of the captain and his wife on the eve of the murder. He dwelt at length on the charge that Monks had committed perjury, contrasting the passenger with Bram.

He defended Brown and Monks from the impeachment brought against them by Mr. Cotter, and contended that their evidence was truthful and sufficient to warrant the conviction of the prisoner.

Bram's story, he said, was not borne out in any essential particular. He took up the alleged disaster salvage, and said the sailors had not claimed any, and had no reason whatever to testify against Bram, other than what they knew.

The lashing of the wheel was gone into. About 20 minutes after the court opened and Mr. Hoar said that the officers on board did not lash the wheel while they were signing the paper.

Mr. Hoar referred to what he called the antiquated sea captains of the defence, who had left the sea before he was born, as having testified that the wheel could be lashed. He claimed that the captain was the only man who would take the risk of lashing the wheel and Brown would never have done it with Bram sitting on the rail.

The attorney in speaking of Brown being violent, said it was natural. "Wouldn't you say violent of these people," he asked, "if you had seen the horrible murder, d?"

Mr. Hoar spoke for upwards of half an hour and closed with an eloquent appeal to the jurors to do their duty under their oaths and return a verdict of guilty against Bram.

At the conclusion a recess of five minutes was taken and then Judge Webb delivered the charge to the jury.

Some little time was consumed in putting in the exhibits and it was 1.25 when the jury retired. The court adjourned until 5 o'clock.

In his charge Judge Webb said the jury must determine their verdict upon the evidence submitted and must not be influenced by any argument of counsel only if such argument is supported by the evidence.

"Let not the much talked of suspicions govern you, for they are not sufficient," he said. Continuing Judge Webb explained what constituted murder. Malice, he said, is an essential part and the act must be done wilfully and with intent.

The only question the jury had to decide, he said, is as to the death of Capt. [illegible]

MAINE MELANGE.

Items of Interest from Different Sections and Sources.

Cumberland.

A committee of twenty-one citizens appointed by the Deering board of trade received the bill Thursday night drafted by the sub-committee amending the city charter to create a board of public works instead of the old street and sewer department.

One of Westbrook's most popular and educated citizens when he has a severe attack of rheumatism confines himself to a diet of fried salt pork. By strictly conforming to this diet he soon regains his normal health.

Hancock.

A barn on the Stabawl road out of Ellsworth near the Back meadow, was burned early Tuesday morning. The barn was owned by John Maloney and was comparatively new. It contained hay, farming machinery and tools, and a quantity of unthreshed grain. The cause of the fire is unknown, but incendiarism is suspected.

Piscataquis.

William Cooper, the Milo taxidermist, has a perfect, mature albino porcupine. It has the bright pink eyes of other albinos, and when rolled up, has a very pretty effect, with no spines at all showing, and has the appearance of a large, white, silky ball.

Washington.

Eastport Sentinel: Would it not be a good idea at this time to inaugurate a movement to raise some money for the public library by means of an entertainment? Mr. Shea, the manager of the Opera House, has signified his willingness to donate the use of the house for the purpose. It is needless to say that we have the necessary talent right amongst us, whose services could easily be obtained, and as the purpose is one that would be of mutual advantage to the large number of borrowers from the library, a large audience would be assured. The institution needs money—a great deal besides the city appropriations; books cost money, and they are constantly wearing out, and need replenishing; the librarian must be paid, and the building warmed and lighted, all of which is a continual outlay, and the main source of income is voluntary subscription.

York.

The citizens of Springvale have voted to buy the shoe factory and lease it to Shaw, Goding & Company, of Portland, giving them a lease free for 10 years with the privilege of buying the factory for $5,000.

SENSATION CAUSED

By Sudden Disappearance of an Alderman.

Montreal, Jan. 1.—A sensation was caused in civic circles a few days ago by the sudden disappearance of Alderman Prevost, a prominent member of the city council. He was reported to be very wealthy and had a large number of estates in trust. It has just leaked out that about a week ago he attempted to commit suicide at a leading hotel. His whereabouts at present are unknown. His business is understood to be heavily involved.

NEW BANK INSOLVENT.

Had Deposited Capital in Defunct Bank of Minnesota.

Webster, S. D., Jan. 1.—The new bank recently organized here is insolvent. T. E. Egge, the moving spirit, collected 60 per cent. of the capital stock and deposited it in the defunct Bank of Minnesota, of St. Paul, and the Columbia National Bank of Minneapolis. The new bank was to be of $20,000 capital and to commence business to-morrow. Mr. Egge has given his personal note to each stockholder. The total amount involved is $11,500.

Crete National Bank Closes Its Doors.

Crete, Neb., Jan. 1.—The Crete National Bank has closed its doors and gone into voluntary liquidation. Deposits will be paid on demand by the First National Bank. The Crete National has on hand in cash $57,000 and only closed because the business did not pay.

LYNCHED BY MOB.

Now the Prosecuting Attorney Thinks they were Innocent.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 1.—Prosecuting Attorney Aull of LaFayette county [illegible]

CITY AND VICINITY.

NEW YEAR'S ADDRESS

Of the Carrier Boys of The Bangor Daily Whig and Courier.

Well, Patrons; on Time's restless wings
The months into the past have flown,
And left the record of the year
Filled with events of gloom and cheer,
That marked its course as on it sped
To join the countless ages fled,
With fearful deeds of blood and wrong
When hearts with agonies were wrung,
And we, your Carriers, are here—
As ancient custom doth require,
To tell in very simple rhymes
Our little review of the times
We call it little, meaning brief—
(The word will doubtless give relief)
But 'twould not be nor short nor small
Had we the time to tell it all—
The barb'rous deeds of savage wrath
Left countless victims in its path
When poor Armenia's blood was poured
By the fanatic Turk and Kurd
While christian England silent stood,
And France, in apathetic mood
Heard that poor hapless people's cry;
And Russia's Czar and Germany
Unmoved looked on that butchery!
Why stood they thus without a word
Of stern protest? Why thus ignored
The duty which Humanity
Required—demanded at their hands
To check those cruel ruffian bands?
Was it, that cold "Diplomacy"
Forbade to heed that wailing cry?
'Twould seem a Czar and three proud kings,
And Britain's power, might clip the wings
Of that wild Turkey—D'ye fear,
How in the carving they might fare?
In deeds of blood the Spaniard too,
Makes Cuba a dark scene of woe,
And, with the barb'rous Moslem vies
In war's most savage cruelties.
'Tis sad to see that Isle so fair
Such wrongs from tyrants forced to bear.
That "gem" of the Caribbean sea
By War's fierce storm doomed thus to be
By fire and sword a desert made
By Spain 'gainst liberty arrayed.
Yet not upon that Isle alone
Her slaves are fighting for their own,
Their right to breathe in Freedom's air
And in her blessings freely share.
As once con[illegible] Spain was great;
In olden time a powerful state,
But she, through centuries has sowed
The seed that comes to fruitage now—
Her children taught by scenes of blood
Where man and horse and bullock bled
To give delight to mothers there
And youth and children made to share
In that bad school, and taught to be
Lovers of fiend-like cruelty.
Her Inquisition's dungeon's deep
Where many a soul was doomed to weep
Her bloody Saint Bartholomew
Autos da fe! all did their part
To give to her the hardened heart
And long she'll borne the penalty
Of the stern law—heredity.
From these dark scenes let us now turn
To other themes which more concern
Our own fair land:—That threat'ning cloud,
With lurid aspect seemed to rise
And darken in the southern skies
With lightnings charged, whose thunders loud
Might rend our olive wreath of peace
And our bright skies with darkness shroud
With war's deep gloom and ghastliness,
Has passed away and Arbitration comes to bless.
With kindly voice and hope instead,
But there are objects brighter far
Than these to mention,—these, which mar
The history of the vanished year—
To them we turn with joy to see
The rising sun—Prosperity
Illume with hope our brightening sky.
With smiles we hail its hopeful beams
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82 years. At the same time there were three other gentlemen of a later edition whose combined age was 305 years: D. M. Sawtelle, 86 years; H. N. Dearborn, 85 years; S. White, 84.

A complimentary testimonial will be given the Belfast Band at the Belfast Opera House, Tuesday evening, Jan. 5, '97. The participants of the operetta, "Bazar of Nations," have kindly offered to repeat their entertainment, with new songs and new features for the benefit of the Belfast Band to be followed with concert by band and a few dances for all who wish.

Sunrise Grange of Winterport has elected the following officers: M., Charles Sibnet; O., John Fredericks; Stew., Charles Whitney; A. S., Leroy Cole; Lect., Hattie Crocker; Sec., F. B. Cole; Chap., John Phillips; Treas., Wm. C. Gardner; G. K., Fred Hale; Ceres, Annie Young; Pomona, Alma Cole; Flora, Eva Colson; L. A. S., Nellie M. Littlefield.

Rockland didn't say much when the oil trust nearly doubled the price of kerosene but does kick vigorously at the miserable stuff sold them at that price. In such helpless exasperation it may be soothing to know that scientists declare that fire flies are to be the illuminant of the future. But, by the time they get into general use some one will have cornered sunshine; so what's the odds?—Kennebec Journal.

Sheriff S. G. Norton, of Belfast, recently received a postal card which was dated in San Francisco, Dec. 19th, asking him to inform Frank Carvel, son of John and Belle (Truesdale) Carvel, of the death of his uncle, John Truesdale. The deceased left a valuable estate in Snelling, Merced county, California, and Frank Carvel is the heir of the estate. Sheriff Norton has not yet found a man by that name and he thinks the man may belong in Maine, and that the California parties are sending to each county to find a trace of him.

W. R. Ellis, who is employed as cutter by P. J. Abbott & Son, Dexter, met with quite a serious injury Monday. Work at the shop being a little slack he thought he would cut some wood and went up to what is known as the Downing farm for that purpose. He had been at work but a short time when his axe glanced in some way, striking one of his legs below the knee, severing a large vein. He was obliged to walk quite a distance before he could obtain assistance, and the blood flowed from the vein so that he was weak when he arrived home and a doctor was summoned.

The cattle commissioners, Dr. George H. Bailey, of Portland, Hon. F. O. Beal, of Bangor, and Mr. John M. Deering, of Saco, appeared before the Governor and Council, Thursday, to ask for advice as to the disposal of some infected cattle in the herd of Alonzo Libby, of Westbrook. To investigate the case, Councillors Freeman and Marshall will visit the herd in company with the commissioners, Saturday. The herd shows by tuberculin tests that 40 out of 53 are infected with tuberculosis.

Dexter Gazette: Gershom L. Gould, our ex-cold selectman, regrets the sudden departure of his elegant chin whiskers. It happened the other day while he was attempting to burn out a chimney. He put some straw in and set it afire, but he saw no indication that it was burning much so he looked in the chimney flue to see what was the matter. Just then the fire took a sudden start and came out along with those whiskers to a dark brown crisp. He parted with the remains reluctantly but the absence of this feature adds much dignity to his personal appearance.

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11.25 P. M.—Express for Portland and Boston. Pullman sleeping car attached for Portland and Boston.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7.30 A. M. 5.25 P. M. (except Saturdays and Sundays) and 6.50 P. M. Saturdays only. Arrive at Bucksport 8.40 A. M., 6.35 and 7.56 P. M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 5.55 A. M., and 1.15 P. M. Arrive in Bangor at 6.55 A. M. and 2.33 P. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 6.45 and 8.15 A. M. and 4.45 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 7.00 and 10.25 A. M. and 6.37 P. M. 6.45 A. M. train connects for Sullivan and Sorrento.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.30 A. M. and 3.30 P. M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.00 A. M., 1.00 and 5.15 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 11.35 A. M., 1.35 and 5.47 P. M. Arrive in Bangor 1.00, 4.10 and 7.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

7.15 A. M.—For Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

8.00 P. M.—For Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Rockland, Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 1.20 (Yankee) and 11.10 P. M.; from Greenville, 9.55 A. M., B. & A., 1.20 and 6.35 P. M.; from all points. From Milford, 7.30 P. M.; Mattawamkeag 0.45 A. M., 11.35 A. M. (mixed).

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland 4.50 A. M. and 4.35 and 6.30 P. M. Sundays 5.15 P. M. From Portland and way stations 12.30 P. M. From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dover 9.07 and 11.41 A. M. Sunday from Boston and Portland 5.15 P. M. Sunday paper train 11.25 A. M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and by all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

GEORGE F. EVANS, General Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

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Bangor & Aroostook R. R.

Pullman Buffet Parlor Car between Houlton and Bangor on trains leaving Houlton at 8.30 A. M. and Bangor at 4.50 P. M.

IN EFFECT MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1896.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

6.55 A. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.18 A. M., Milo 8.42 A. M., Brownville 8.55 A. M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.40 A. M., Norcross 9.50 A. M., Sherman 10.55 A. M., Island Falls 11.20 A. M., Smyrna Mills 11.55 A. M., Woodstock 12.20 P. M., Masardis 1.15 P. M., Ashland 1.40 P. M., Houlton 12.20 P. M., Presque Isle 2.00 P. M., Caribou 2.35 P. M., Fort Fairfield 2.0 P. M., Dover 9.15 A. M., Guilford 9.42 A. M., Monson Junction 9.58 A. M., Greenville 11.00 A. M.

4.50 P. M.—For and arriving at Brownville 6.14 P. M., Norcross 7.40 P. M., Grindstone, 8.10 P. M., Sherman, 8.41 P. M., Island Falls, 9.05 P. M., Ashland Junction, 9.25 P. M., Houlton, 10.05 P. M., Lagrange 5.27 P. M., Dover and Foxcroft, 7.13 P. M., Sangerville, 7.33 P. M., Guilford, 7.39 P. M., Monson Junction, 7.55 P. M., Blanchard, 8.18 P. M., Greenville, 8.55 P. M.

ARRIVALS.

9.55 A. M.—Leaving Greenville 6.00 A. M., Monson Junction 7.04 A. M., Guilford 7.17 A. M., Dover 7.36 A. M., Brownville 7.46 A. M., Milo 8.10 A. M., Lagrange 8.35 A. M.

1.20 P. M.—Leaving Caribou 5.10 A. M., Presque Isle 6.40 A. M., Fort Fairfield 6.35 A. M., Houlton 8.50 A. M., Ashland 7.04 A. M., Masardis 7.28 A. M., Woodstock 8.25 A. M., Smyrna Mills 8.55 A. M., Island Falls 9.50 A. M., Sherman 9.56 A. M., Norcross 10.46 A. M., Brownville 11.10 A. M.

6.35 P. M.—Leaving Greenville 3.30 P. M., Monson Junction 3.33 P. M., Guilford 3.58 P. M., Dover 4.13 P. M., Caribou 11.05 A. M., Presque Isle 11.36 A. M., Fort Fairfield 11.10 A. M., Houlton 1.20 P. M., Ashland 9.30 A. M., Masardis 10.36 A. M., Woodstock 12.20 P. M., Smyrna Mills 1.15 P. M., Island Falls 2.15 P. M., Sherman 2.43 P. M., Norcross 3.40 P. M., Brownville 4.14 P. M., Milo 4.30 P. M., Lagrange 5.4 P. M.

GEO. M. HOUGHTON, Gen'l Pass'r & Ticket Agent.

F. W. CRAM, Vice Pres't & Gen'l Mgr.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 1, 1896.

State of Maine.

Penobscot ss. Clerk's Office, Supreme Judicial Court, Bangor, December 1st, 1896.

Brian J. Dunn, of Brewer, in the County of Penobscot, in said State, has this day filed in this Office notice of his intention to apply for admission to the Bar at the next term of said Court, to be holden at Bangor, within and for the County and State aforesaid, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D., 1897.

CHAS. F. SWEETT, Clerk.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BANGOR.

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BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. Levi D. Crook has been up river on a business trip of a few days this week.

Mr. William B. Patten, of Somerville, Mass., who has been visiting with friends in the city, has returned home.

The next meeting of the city council will be the regular monthly session which occurs on Thursday evening of next week.

Mr. F. J. Philbrook, of this city, has returned home from a successful hunting trip up river, bringing with him two deer that he shot.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Prentiss, of Belfast, are in the city making a short visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Prentiss.

Dr. Frank E. Nye, of this city, who has been living in Brooksville for some time, has been brought to Brewer again and will be cared for at the city farm.

Mr. Allston Sargent, who has been home from Boston for a short time visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sargent at South Brewer, has returned to his studies.

Mrs. J. H. Witherell, of Oakland, one of the chief officers of the Degree of Honor in Maine, is in the city, and was present at the installation of the officers of the Brewer lodge last evening.

It has been decided by the city authorities to have Sarah Burbier, of South Brewer, who has become insane, placed at the city farm for the present, it being deemed unsafe for her to be at liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barstow were given a pleasant surprise Thursday evening by a number of their friends who called on them to hold a watch party. The evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner, refreshments of ice cream and cake adding to the occasion, and after 1896 had taken its departure and 1897 had made its appearance on time the party adjourned.

The first annual ball of the Brewer police was held at City Hall Friday evening and was very successful. There was a large attendance and a pleasing order of dances was carried out to music furnished by Abbott's orchestra. Mr. R. W. Currier was the floor manager. Delicious refreshments were served at intermission and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Next week is the Week of Prayer and the First Congregational, First M. E. and First Baptist churches will hold union services on each evening of the week. On Monday and Tuesday evenings the meetings will be held at the First Congregational church; on Wednesday and Thursday at the Baptist church and on Friday and Saturday at the Methodist church. The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

The Brewer Lodge of the Degree of Honor installed its officers last evening and the occasion was of a semi-public nature, all members of the United Workmen and their families being invited. There was a large attendance and a fine supper was served in addition to the exercises and all present enjoyed the evening. The following is the list of officers installed: C. H., Sophia Hussey; L. H., Celia Atherton; V. C., Hattie Atwood; Recorder, Vesta E. Eaton; Financier, Nellie Carter; Receiver, Grace Fletcher; Usher, Josie Clay; I. W., Lizzie Sargent; O. W., Reuben Clay; P. C., Mary Barr.

Sunday Services.

First Congregational church, Rev. B. Merrill, pastor. Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.; communion service at 2.30 p. m.; people's praise service at 7 p. m. Miss Effie Gratten will sing and Secretary R. A. Jordan will speak; Y. P. S. C. E. consecration meeting at 8. All cordially invited.

First M. E. church, Rev. J. T. Crosby, pastor. Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11.45 a. m.; Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m.; Epworth League at 6.15 p. m.; evening prayer and praise service at 7. All cordially invited.

First Baptist church, corner of Main and Parker streets, Rev. W. E. Lombard, pastor. Seats free. Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11.45 a. m.; evening service at 7. Mr. Eugene Philbrook will preach in the morning. All welcome.

The weekly meeting of the Pine Grove Christian Endeavor society will be held Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at Pine Grove Hall on the Pierce road.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi weekly by the Grocers' Association.

SATURDAY, Jan. 2.

THE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, ruta baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye, and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ♥ bush	1.25@1.35
Pea, hand picked, ♥ bush	1.40@1.50
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ♥ lb	18@20c
Fair to good	15@17c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ♥ lb (new)	10@11c
Best Dairy, ♥ lb (new)	10c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung, ♥ lb	4@5c
Choice sliced	7@8c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ♥ doz	22c
HAY—	
Best loose, ♥ ton	$15 00
PEAS—	
Improved, ♥ bush	3.25
Best Canada, whole	1.10@1.25
POTATOES—	
New, ♥ bu	40@45
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, ♥ lb	15@20c
Fowls	10@12c
ONIONS—	
♥ Barrel	[illegible]

Retail Price Current.

SALT—	
Bangor ground, in boxes, ♥ box	[illegible]
English butter salt, in 14 boxes, ♥ box	[illegible]
In 56lb bags	[illegible]
Liverpool, ♥ bush	[illegible]
Turks Island	[illegible]
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ♥ box	[illegible]
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ♥ lb	[illegible]
London layers	[illegible]
Sultana	[illegible]
CURRANTS—	
English, ♥ lb	10@12c
KEROSENE OIL—	
[illegible], ♥ gallon	[illegible]
[illegible]	12c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ♥ gallon	[illegible]
Pure W. W.	20c
OATS—	30c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall, ♥ barrel	5.25@6.00
Best St. Louis	5.75
Good family	5.50
CORN—	
Full weight	38@40c
CORN MEAL—	
100 lbs. to bushel	35@37c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	1.38
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran in sacks	75
Spring Wheat, ♥ hundred	80
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ♥ hundred	85
Coarse	90
GLUTEN MEAL	1.00
FEED FLOUR	90c
WHEAT	75c

Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

New Year's Reception at The White House Friday.

Many Distinguished People in Attendance—Profuse Floral Decorations.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The annual New Year's reception at the White House took place today according to long established custom. It constituted the yearly ordeal of the President and the mistress of the White House for they must shake hands with many hundreds, several thousands in fact, of their fellow citizens and a large number of distinguished foreigners.

As on last New Year's day the crowd that participated in and witnessed the reception was very large. It was the last function of the sort in which Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland will figure as the principal characters.

The interior of the mansion had been lavishly decorated for the occasion. A suggestion of the tropics was given by a survey of the decorative arrangements. In the blue room, the official chamber of the White House, with its delicately tapestried walls, the artistic effect was well carried out. It was in this apartment that the President, Mrs. Cleveland and the receiving party stood.

The red room held a profusion of tall rubber plants and palms. Jardinieres of Greenfield Linge holding growing plants comported well with the permanent hangings of the green room. In the broad corridor leading from the east room past the reception chambers to the private staircase at the western end a few rubber trees and palms sufficed for decorative purposes as all the space that could be obtained there was necessary to accommodate the constantly moving throng.

Those who paid their respects to the President and Mrs. Cleveland passed out of the receiving chamber into the green room and thence into the spacious east room, the scene of so many historic occurrences.

Six hundred people is the ordinary capacity of this apartment. Today it was filled to an uncomfortable degree, with foreign envoys, officers of the army and navy, high judicial functionaries, senators, representatives and many civilians with a large number of ladies. They were not so crowded, however as to be unable to see and appreciate the floral beauty displayed.

Eleven o'clock was the hour set for the beginning of the reception. Before that time members of the diplomatic corps, ambassadors, ministers, attaches and their wives and daughters had begun to arrive and were ushered into the red room, where they awaited the signal to pass along the line. Out in the public lobby the United States Marine band waited the signal to play. Suddenly the instruments burst forth into "Hail to the Chief."

Down the private staircase came the President, Mrs. Cleveland, the members of the cabinet and their ladies led by Col. John M. Wilson, U. S. A., commissioner of public buildings and grounds and master of ceremonies. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland, Vice-President and Mrs. Stevenson, Sec'y and Mrs. Olney, Sec'y and Mrs. Carlisle, Attorney-General and Mrs. Harmon, Postmaster General and Mrs. Wilson, Sec'y and Miss Herbert, Sec'y and Mrs. Lamont, Sec'y and Miss Morton, and Sec'y and Mrs. Francis, all forming a procession passed along the corridors to the blue room and took their places, the President and Mrs. Cleveland at one end with Secretary Olney and Col. Wilson at their right and the ladies forming a line across the apartment.

The cabinet officers modestly dropped to the rear and entered into conversation with some of the ladies, who composed that contingent commonly designated "behind the line."

Among the ladies behind the line were Mrs. Elkins, wife of Senator Elkins, Mrs. Gear, wife of Senator Gear, Mrs. Gordon, wife of Senator Gordon, Mrs. Hale, wife of Senator Hale, Mrs. Lodge, wife of Senator Lodge, Mrs. Reed, wife of Speaker Reed, Mrs. Thurber, wife of Private Secretary Thurber, Mrs. Holmes Conrad, wife of the solicitor general, Mrs. Eckels, wife of the comptroller of the currency, Mrs. Miles, wife of Gen. Miles and Mrs. Sawtelle, wife of Gen. Sawtelle.

REAR END COLLISION.

Two Lives Lost in a Freight Train Accident.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 1.—A rear-end collision occurred this morning between two freight trains on the Central Hudson R. R., five miles west of this city, and resulted in the death of John Cook and Charles Vogel, both of Albany. The accident occurred on a sharp curve where the forward train had been stopped by a block signal and there was no flagman to signal the approaching train.

Cook, the fireman, was shovelling coal at the time and he was found against the firebox of the engine which was overturned in the ditch.

Vogel, front brakeman of the rear train, was jammed between two cars. A number of cars were derailed and caught fire. The damage will amount to $50,000.

CAUSE UNKNOWN.

Barn and Livestock Burned at Charleston.

Foxcroft, Jan. 1.—The barn with 10 head of cattle, two colts, 40 tons of hay and farming implements, belonging to Charles Harvey, of Charleston, were burned early this morning.

The loss is estimated at $2000; insurance $400. The origin of the fire is unknown.

BEGINNING EARLY.

Ingalls Wants to Be Senator in 1900.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 1.—John J. Ingalls announced yesterday that he would be a candidate for United States Senator to succeed Mr. Baker in 1900. The Republican machinery of Kansas is against Ingalls and this has nerved him to fight for the caucus nomination in January and to follow up with a big fight for Baker's seat in 1903.

MEXICAN LIBEL LAWS

Cause the Suspension of the Oldest Paper in the Country.

Mexico City, Jan. 1.—The oldest and one of the most influential and best paying daily newspapers in Mexico, El Monitor Republicano, announces its voluntary suspension on the ground of dissatisfaction with the existing libel laws.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Another Tragedy Added to the Long List.

Poplar Bluffs, Mo., Jan. 1.—At Barfield, a small town near here, Adolph Mavis yesterday shot and killed Mrs. J. A. Payne and then turning the revolver on himself fired a bullet into his head, dying instantly. Before Mrs. Payne's marriage she and Mavis were lovers.

PENSIONS GRANTED.

Additional to Residents of Maine.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The following pensions have been granted to residents of Maine:

Increase, George F. Andrews, East Otisfield; John O'Brien, Togus; Elbridge T. Douglass, Dover; Ephraim K. Drew, Harrington; Joseph B. Stevens, East Knox. Reissue, Christopher McCurdy, Richmond. Original, widows, Lydia A. Dow, West Charleston; Harriet A. Hodsdon, Auburn.

BAD BUSINESS.

Serious Charges Made for Political Effect.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 1.—Dr. Mackey, representative of the Third Legislative district of this county in the legislature, has sent to the Scranton Republican, a statement, in reply to the testimony given at Pottsville yesterday in the Van Valkenburg hearing, that he was paid by a detective in this city $1,240 to vote for John Wanamaker for United States Senator. Dr. Mackey says it is a conspiracy to ruin him or to force him to vote for Penrose for Senator.

DWELLING BURNED.

And Two Men Arrested for Horse Stealing.

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THE BRAM TRIAL.

The Famous Case Went to the Jury Friday.

Mr. Hoar Concluded His Plea and the Judge Charged the Jury.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Thomas M. Bram wore an anxious look as he came into court this morning. There is no mistaking the fact that he is undergoing a severe mental strain, and that its effects are commencing to be seen. Bram looks thinner today than he has at any preceding period. In the race for places in the court room the women seemed to have come out ahead, fully four-fifths of the spectators being of the fair sex.

District Attorney Hoar resumed his argument immediately after the judges had taken their seats. He assailed Bram in the beginning, first calling attention to the lucky conduct of the negro, Spencer, and saying that Bram showed none of that man's courage.

"Spencer was not a man to clasp the knees of people, he did not ask whether there were any free masons on board, nor did he make any signals of distress. He went to work and did just what Bram ought to have done. He went to see what was the matter on board, what had happened to these people, and how they had been killed. He did not know how many of the crew were aft.

"He knew that only Lester Monks and Charley Brown could be aft of him, beside the dead bodies. He went straight down there, went to Frank Loane, saw the captain on the floor, went around and got a revolver and went straight into that cabin.

"Having assured the jury that, if they left Bram unconvicted, murder on the high seas would go forever unpunished, Mr. Hoar asked why Bram had put up that story about the second mate being forward. That one statement was enough to convict him, because he knew that man was alive. And why did Bram not bring that lantern forward, why did he leave it in Lester Monk's room?

"It was for the mighty good reason because if he brought it back, Lester Monks' eyes might have lighted on the hand and body of the dead and could have seen that would have started an inquiry."

Mr. Hoar went on to describe the movements of the captain and his wife on the eve of the murder. He dwelt at length on the charge that Monks had committed perjury, contrasting the passenger with Bram.

He defended Brown and Monks from the impeachment brought against them by Mr. Cotter, and contended that their evidence was truthful and sufficient to warrant the conviction of the prisoner. "Bram's story," he said, "was not borne out in any essential particular. He jeers up the alleged oil mutter salvage, and said the sailors had not claimed any, and had no reason whatever to testify against Bram other than what they knew.

"The lashing of the wheel was gone about 20 minutes after the court opened and Mr. Hoar said that the men on board did not lash the wheel while they were signing the papers."

Mr. Hoar referred to what he called the antiquated sea captain's of the defence, who had left the sea before he was born, as having testified that the wheel could be lashed. He claimed that the captain was the only man who would take the risk of lashing the wheel and Brown would never have done it with Bram sitting on the lee rail.

The attorney, in speaking of Brown seeing visions, said it was natural. "Wouldn't you see visions of those people," he asked, "if you had seen them horribly murdered?"

Mr. Hoar spoke for upwards of half an hour and closed with an eloquent appeal to the jurors to do their duty under their oaths and return a verdict of guilty against Bram.

At his conclusion on a recess of five minutes was taken and then Judge Webb delivered the charge to the jury.

Some little time was consumed in putting in the exhibits and it was 1.25 when the jury retired. The court adjourned until 5 o'clock.

In his charge Judge Webb said the jury must determine their verdict upon the evidence submitted and must not be influenced by any argument of counsel only as such argument is supported by the evidence.

"Let not the much talked of suspicions govern you, for they are not sufficient," he said. Continuing Judge Webb explained what constituted murder. Malice, he said, is an essential part and it must be done wilfully and with intent.

The only question the jury had to decide, he said, is as to the death of Capt. Nash. "They are simply to determine whether or not Bram killed him." Judge Webb said they should not consider anything in the nature of an admission of Bram's against himself unless they got it from his own lips.

Judge Webb went through the evidence clearly in detail. In some instances he picked to pieces Brown's testimony and said: "If you accept without question it has great weight but in the manner in which it has been assailed you must carefully consider it." He thought credence should be given the testimony of the sea captains notwithstanding that they left the sea several years ago.

"There is the question of motive," Judge Webb continued. "The government has not proven a motive but there is no doubt that some one on board the ship committed the crime." He declared that the theory of the second mate's doing the killing was too absurd to be considered. As to Brown the judge said no one can tell or interpret his action before or after the tragedy.

Judge Webb read a definition of "Reasonable doubt" and admonished the jury to take time and render a just verdict.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Orders to Prevent Crying of Papers Sunday.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The District Commissioners have issued an order to take effect Feb. 1 next, preventing the crying of papers in the streets or avenues of Washington on Sunday.

BET ON ELECTION.

Shortage of $7,000 In the Suicide's Accounts.

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 1.—W. G. Park, who represented the Havemeyers in this city, shot and killed himself in his office here last evening. He was short $7,000 in his accounts. The money being spent, it is alleged, in betting on the election of C. A. Towne for Congressman from this district. Park's life was insured for $35,000.

A DROPPING OFF

In Delegates to Monetary Convention.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 1.—The arrangements for the meeting of the monetary convention in this city January 12, are practically completed. In the past few days there has been a dropping off of some of the delegates and it is thought that the attendance will not exceed 500, but all the large cities will be represented. The local committee is engaged in drafting a programme which will be submitted to the full committee when it meets.

NO LAWS VIOLATED

In Raising Funds to Care for Cuban Soldiers.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Charles H. Aldrich, formerly solicitor general of the United States, has given an opinion for the benefit of the Cuban relief committee on the question of the legality of raising money for hospital supplies for sick and wounded Cubans in the field. He states that no law of neutrality would be violated by the act proposed. Acting on this opinion Capt. Gray and other members of the local finance committee will begin next Monday the work of raising funds.

NO REASON KNOWN

For Suicide of Two Young Men at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 1.—Last night the dead bodies of Charles A. Weyrich, aged 24, and Charles D. Carpenter, 29, were found in a room in The Planters' Hotel. Death had resulted from morphine. The men went to the room Wednesday night. They were very close friends and both were well known and highly connected. No cause is known for self destruction. Weyrich eloped with Mrs. Grace Peterson, a society belle, about a year ago.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

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MAINE MELANGE.

Items of Interest from Different Sections and Sources.

Cumberland.

A committee of twenty-one citizens appointed by the Deering board of trade received the bill Thursday night drafted by the sub-committee amending the city charter to create a board of public works instead of the old street and sewer department.

One of Westbrook's most popular and educated citizens when he has a severe attack of rheumatism confines himself to a diet of fried salt pork. By strictly conforming to this diet he soon regains his normal health.

Hancock.

A barn on the Stabawl road out of Ellsworth near the Back meadow was burned early Tuesday morning. The barn was owned by John Maloney, and was comparatively new. It contained hay, farming machinery and tools, and a quantity of unthreshed grain. The cause of the fire is unknown, but incendiarism is suspected.

Piscataquis.

William Cooper, the Milo taxidermist, has a perfect, mature albino porcupine. It has the bright pink eyes of other albinos, and when rolled up, has a very pretty effect, with no spines at all showing, and has the appearance of a large, white, silky ball.

Washington.

Eastport Sentinel: Would it not be a good idea at this time to inaugurate a movement to raise some money for the public library by means of an entertainment? Mr. Shea, the manager of the Opera House, has signified his willingness to donate the use of the house for the purpose. It is needless to say that we have the necessary talent right amongst us, whose services could easily be obtained, and as the purpose is one that would be of mutual advantage to the large number of borrowers from the library, a large audience would be assured. The institution needs money—a great deal besides the city appropriations; books cost money, and they are constantly wearing out, and need replenishing; the librarian must be paid, and the building warmed and lighted, all of which is a continual outlay, and the main source of income is voluntary subscription.

York.

The citizens of Springvale have voted to buy the shoe factory and lease it to Shaw, Coding & Company, of Portland, giving them a lease free for 10 years with the privilege of buying the factory for $6,000.

SENSATION CAUSED

By Sudden Disappearance of an Alderman.

Montreal, Jan. 1.—A sensation was caused in civic circles a few days ago by the sudden disappearance of Alderman Prevost, a prominent member of the city council. He was reported to be very wealthy and had a large number of estates in trust. It has just leaked out that about a week ago he attempted to commit suicide at a leading hotel. His whereabouts at present are unknown. His business is understood to be heavily involved.

NEW BANK INSOLVENT.

Has Deposited Capital In Defunct Bank of Minnesota.

Webster, S. D., Jan. 1.—The new bank recently organized here is insolvent. T. E. Egge, the moving spirit, collected 50 per cent. of the capital stock and deposited it in the defunct Bank of Minnesota, of St. Paul, and the Columbia National Bank of Minneapolis. The new bank was to be of $20,000 capital and to commence business to-morrow. Mr. Egge has given his personal note to each stockholder. The total amount involved is $11,500.

Crete National Bank Closes Its Doors.

Crete, Neb., Jan. 1.—The Crete National Bank has closed its doors and gone into voluntary liquidation. Deposits will be paid on demand by the First National Bank. The Crete National has on hand in cash $57,000 and only closed because the business did not pay.

LYNCHED BY MOB.

Now the Prosecuting Attorney Thinks they were Innocent.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 1.—Prosecuting Attorney Ault of LaFayette county, in an interview here yesterday expressed the opinion that the two men, James Nelson and Jesse Winner, who were lynched by a mob at Lexington a short time ago, were innocent of the murder of Mrs. Winner and her baby. He claims to have sufficient evidence to cause the indictment of fifty of the lynchers.

MIND UNBALANCED

From Brooding Over Defeat of Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 1.—State Senator Henry C. Seehrung, at the head of the Standard Glass and Paint Co., one of the most prominent business men in Lincoln, committed suicide by hanging himself yesterday. He was 54 years old. On the subject of free silver he was almost a fanatic, and among his intimates it is known he brooded much over the defeat of Bryan for the Presidency.

Condensed Despatches.

News reached Raleigh, N. C., Thursday of a lynching a mile from Gibson's station, Richmond county, Christmas night. The man lynched was Jim Green, a negro, a new comer in the neighborhood. Nothing was known of him except that he was of bad reputation and had served time in the penitentiary. Late Christmas night a number of white men on horseback surrounded Green's house and made him go with them a half mile down the road, when they drew revolvers and riddled him with bullets. The lynchers were unmasked and were strangers. It is supposed they came from South Carolina and lynched Green for some crime committed in that State.

The steamer Commodore, commanded by Captain Edward Murphy, was granted clearance papers Thursday by the collector of customs at Jacksonville, Fla., and left that port with a cargo of arms and ammunition for Cienfuegos, Cuba.

For the four months ending Thursday there were received at Norfolk, Va., 551,051 bales of cotton. The amount received in the corresponding period last year was 184,822. This represents an increase of over 200 per cent. and probably makes Norfolk the greatest cotton port in the world.

The Evening Star and Times Star, of Dover, N. H., suspended publication Thursday night. Lack of local support is the reason given. The company is in a perfectly solvent condition and fully able to pay its bills. The paper was the only Democratic organ in Strafford county.

The London Chronicle's Rome correspondent telegraphs that it is rumored that the Powers generally will give adherence to the arbitration protocol between the United States and Great Britain. Italy, it is added, will be the first nation to signify its official approval.

For internal cramps and external chills, Johnson's Anodyne Liniment excels anything in use.

One of the most deeply interesting and truly educative books ever written is "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," by Dr. R. V. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. This splendid volume of 1008 pages, includes ninety pages on the subject of diseases peculiar to women, with directions for home-treatment, rendering unnecessary the embarrassing "examinations," and generally useless "local treatment," so dreaded by modest women. The book contains the most comprehensive explanation of human physiology and the rational principles of hygiene ever published. Illustrated with over 300 engravings—a complete medical library in one volume. No other medical book in the English language ever had such an enormous sale, 680,000 copies were sold at $1.50 each. Dr. Pierce is now distributing a new free edition of half a million copies. A copy will be sent absolutely free to anyone who will send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. [illegible]

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CITY AND VICINITY.

NEW YEAR'S ADDRESS

Of the Carrier Boys of The Bangor Daily Whig and Courier.

WELL, Patrons; on Time's restless wings
The months into the past have flown,
And left the record of the year
Filled with events of gloom and cheer,
That marked its course as on it sped
To join the countless ages fled,
With fearful deeds of blood and wrong,
When hearts with agonies were wrung;
And we, your Carriers, are here—
As ancient custom doth require,
To tell in very simple rhymes
Our little review of the times;
We call it *little*, meaning brief—
(The word will doubtless give relief)
But 'twould not be nor short nor small
Had we the time to tell it *all*.
The barb'rous deeds of savage wrath
Left countless victims in its path
When poor Armenia's blood was poured
By the fanatic Turk and Kurd
While christian England silent stood,
And France, in apathetic mood
Heard that poor hapless people's cry;
And Russia's Czar and Germany
Unmoved looked on that butchery!
Why stood they thus without a word
Of stern protest? Why thus ignored
The duty which Humanity
Required—demanded at their hands
To check those cruel ruffian bands?
Was it, that cold "*Diplomacy*"
Forbade to heed that wailing cry?
'Twould seem, a Czar and three proud kings
And Britain's power, might clip the wings
Of that wild Turkey—Did they fear,
How in the *carving* they might fare?
In deeds of blood the Spaniard too,
Makes Cuba a dark scene of woe,
And with the barb'rous Moslem vies
In war's most savage cruelties.
'Tis sad to see that Isle so fair
Such wrongs from tyrants forced to bear.
That "*gem*" of the Caribbean sea
By War's fierce storm doomed thus to be
By fire and sword a desert made
By Spain 'gainst liberty arrayed.
Yet not upon *that* isle alone
Her slaves are fighting for their own,
Their right to breathe in Freedom's air
And in her blessings freely share.
As some count greatness Spain *was* great;
In olden times a powerful state,
But she, through centuries has sowed
The seed that comes to fruitage now—
Her children taught by scenes of blood
Where man and horse and bullock bled
To give delight to mothers there
And youth and children made to share
In that bad school, and taught to be
Lovers of fiendlike cruelty.
Her Inquisition's dungeons deep
Where many a soul was doomed to weep
Her bloody *Saint* Bartholomew
"*Autos da fe*" all did their part
To give to her the hardened heart
And long she's borne the penalty
Of the stern law—heredity.
From these dark scenes let us now turn
To other themes which more concern
Our own fair land;—That threat'ning cloud
With lurid aspect seemed to rise
And darken in the southern skies
With lightnings charged, whose thunders loud
Might rend our olive wreath of peace
And our bright skies with darkness shroud
With war's deep gloom and ghastliness,
Has passed away and *Arbitration* comes to bless
With kindly voice and hope instead.
But there are objects brighter far
Than these to mention—these, which mar
The history of the vanished year—
To them we turn with joy to see
The rising sun—Prosperity
Illume with hope our bright'ning sky;
With smiles we hail its hopeful beams
As o'er our land its radiance streams.
The seasons with their suns and showers
Blessed us with richest fruits and flowers
And everywhere the gen'rous soil
Rewarded well the farmers' toil;
But now arose a darker cloud
That threatened loss fully and loud,
With a portentous menace too,
When Bryan and his motley crew
Set forth upon their reckless course
As marked out their Chicago plan!
With *Silver* trumpets they began
Denouncing with a wrathful curse
Our Aegis of the *Court Supreme*,
Because it punished Debs' scheme.
Befooled by specious sophistry
The Popocratic, misled crowd
Joined with the ranks of anarchy,
Whose cry meant "Ruin" could they win
The victory in this campaign
And lift Altgeld to power again.
How sped the battle need not be
Rehearsed nor whose the victory:
The flag that impiously bore
The "*Cross and Crown of thorns*" no more
Shall wave above a like array
Of such misguided men as they;
The battle has been fought and won,
The cloud has parted, and the sun
Tells us of brighter days in store;
With promise that the danger's o'er,
Whose threat rang loudly thro' the air
And filled some anxious hearts with fear.
But we must close this length'ning rhyme—
Indeed we think you'll say 'tis time.
Here then we end our New Year song
Which now perchance you deem too long;
We would it were a worthier strain,
But such would need a lord gifted pen
Than we can wield—and so we trust
You will accept it—*nay you must!*
And as we've nothing more to tell
We bid you all a kind farewell.

Gov. Cleaves has presented as souvenirs to each member of the Council, handsomely mounted photographs of the Capitol with a miniature photograph of himself in one corner. The pictures are highly appreciated and the members of the Council are very much pleased with them.

The Condon Manufacturing Co. has been organized at Belfast, for the purpose of manufacturing and selling the Condon harness dressing, soap, oil, etc., with $10,000 capital stock, of which $300 is paid in. The officers are: President, Alvin T. Condon, of Belfast; treasurer, Jos. E. Thomas, of Belfast.

Kennebec Journal: Yesterday, Dec. 31, 1896, was all right, thank you, second in bright sunshine and blue skies to none in the whole year. Who wants to kick the old year out when he gives us such a day? We will simply request his resignation on account of old age, give him a pension, and break the New Year into office. A happy one to you.

Geo. Young, of Ellsworth, now in State prison for assault with intent to kill, for whose pardon a hearing was held by the Governor and Council Wednesday afternoon, will not be able to begin 1897 as a free man. It was decided, Thursday to refer his case without prejudice to the incoming Governor and Council. Young has a little over a year more to serve.

The numerous friends in Presque Isle of Hon. C. F. A. Johnson, now a resident of California, [illegible]

82 years. At the same time there were three other gentlemen of a later edition whose combined age was 186 years: D. M. Sawtelle, 59 years; H. M. Dearborn, 65 years; S. White, 64.

A complimentary testimonial will be given the Belfast Band at the Belfast Opera House, Tuesday evening, Jan. 5, '97. The participants of the operetta, "Bazar of Nations," have kindly offered to repeat their entertainment, with new songs and new features for the benefit of the Belfast Band to be followed with concert by band and a few dances for all who wish.

Sunrise Grange of Winterport has elected the following officers: M., Charles Sibbott; O., John Frederick; Stew., Charles Whitney; A. S., LeRoy Cole; Lect., Hattie Crogan; Sec., F. B. Cole; Chap., John Phillips; Treas., Wm. C. Gardner; G. K., Fred Hale; Ceres, Annie Young; Pomona, Alma Cole; Flora, Eva Colson; L. A. S., Ella M. Littlefield.

Rockland didn't say much when the oil trust nearly doubled the price of kerosene but does kick vigorously at the miserable stuff sold them at that price. In such helpless exasperation it may be soothing to know that scientists declare that fire flies are to be the illuminant of the future. But, by the time they get into general use some one will have cornered sunshine; so what's the odds?—Kennebec Journal.

Sheriff S. G. Norton, of Belfast, recently received a postal card which was dated in San Francisco, Dec. 19th, asking him to inform Frank Carvel, son of John and Belle (Truesdale) Carvel, of the death of his uncle, John Truesdale. The deceased left a valuable estate in Snelling, Merced county, California, and Frank Carvel is the heir of the estate. Sheriff Norton has not yet found a man by that name and he thinks the man may belong in Maine, and that the California parties are sending to each county to find a trace of him.

W. R. Eason, who is employed as cutter by P. J. Abbott & Son, Dexter, plant manufacturers, met with quite a serious injury Monday. Work at the shop being a trifle slack he thought he would cut some wood and went up to what is known as the Downing farm for that purpose. He had been at work but a short time when his axe glanced in some way, striking one of his legs below the knee, severing a large vein. He was obliged to walk quite a distance before he could obtain assistance, and the blood flowed from the vein so that he was weak when he arrived home and a doctor was summoned.

The cattle commissioners, Dr. George H. Bailey, of Portland, Hon. F. O. Beal, of Bangor, and Mr. John M. Deering, of Saco, appeared before the Governor and Council, Thursday, to ask for advice as to the disposal of some infected cattle in the herd of Alonzo Libby, of Westbrook. To investigate the case, Councillors Freeman and Marshall will visit the herd, in company with the commissioners, Saturday. The herd shows by tuberculin tests that 40 out of 58 are infected with tuberculosis.

Dexter Gazette: Gershom L. Goold, our second selectman, laments the sudden departure of his elegant chin whiskers. It happened the other day, while he was attempting to burn out a chimney. He put some straw in and set it afire, but he saw no indication that it was burning much, so he looked in the chimney flue to see what was the matter. Just then the fire took a sudden start and came out singeing those whiskers to a dark brown crisp. He parted with the remains reluctantly but the absence of this feature adds much dignity to his personal appearance.

Monday morning the Pioneer mill at Pittsfield started on full time and full crew in all departments except the finishing room. Just what this means to the village can be better understood when it is considered that the mill gives employment to 240 hands when running at its full capacity. The Waverley mill is employing 170 hands and is working over time. Wm. Dobson, in reference to the change at the Pioneer mill states that it is not so much on account of increased orders as the necessity of filling such as have been received, within the time specified. The mill is now getting out samples for next season and will make every effort to get orders enough to keep the mill running at its full capacity the year round.

Another case of lost while within a stone's throw of the main road is reported. Joe Dowling, of Boston, and Chas. Addition and son, of Ripley, one day last week, went up in the vicinity of Foss pond in Kingsbury hunting. Joe did not come to camp at night and next morning the other members of the party started out early to find him. They soon found the trail and followed it briskly till they came up to where he had come to a settlement, just ahead of them, about nine o'clock. Joe cannot see as well as some people and the way he got through the woods was a sight. When he came to fallen trees he could not see his way around it so he crawled straight ahead till he came out. At a little after dark he thought he would camp for the night and accordingly set about building a camp. This was a rude affair and with the weather at zero the abode was rather cold, so he started out to walk again and kept it up all night till about nine o'clock when he found the farm house above mentioned. When he stopped to build the camp he was within twenty rods of a county road, and had he known it he could have got to camp easily and saved a night's tramp in the wilderness.

General Orders To the Maine National Guard.

General Orders No. 11, just issued to the Maine National Guard contain the following:

The forage cap of officers of the United States army, is adopted as a part of the uniform of officers of the National Guard of the State of Maine. All officers of the National Guard will supply themselves with it before the annual encampment of 1897.

The following enlisted men, upon the recommendation of their respective company commanders approved by the regimental commanders, are hereby discharged:

Second Regiment.

For non-attendance at drills.—Privates, John F. Godfrey, Co. G; privates, Charles F. Chapman, D. C. McNichol and Frank Palmer, Co. I.

For removal from the State.—Privates, George F. Rowe and Ernest W. Rice, Co. B; private, DeBanks M. Heyward, Co. I.

For non-attendance at encampment.—Private, Harry N. Pike, Co. C.

For neglect of rifle practice.—Privates, James F. Withee, Coburn B. Emery, Lester B. Brown, Edison Walton, Thomas J. Rogers, Fred A. Footman, William H. Leighton and Charles F. Furbush, Co. D.

Upon the recommendation of the colonel commanding the Second Regiment, N. G. S. M., Private Burdett E. Garland, Co. G., is hereby dishonorably discharged from the National Guard for disobedience of orders and conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

General orders from this office issued August 28, 1896, by an oversight was numbered as eight. It is General Orders No. 9, and will be corrected upon the official record.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BANGOR.

The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Rooms on TUESDAY, the twelfth day of January next, at three o'clock P. M., for the choice of Directors and such other business as may legally come before them.

E. G. WYMAN, Cashier.

Bangor, Dec. 11th, 1896. dec11 td

UNION HALL COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Union Hall Company will be held at their building in Bangor, MONDAY, January 11th, 1897, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and such other business as may legally come before them.

CHARLES S. PEARL, Secretary.

Dec. 29, 1896. dec29

VIOLETS.

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Harper's Weekly IN 1897.

With the end of 1896 Harper's Weekly will have lived forty years. In that time it has participated with all the zeal and power at its command in the great political events of the most interesting and important period in the history of the country, and it has spread before its readers the accomplishments of science, arts, and letters for the instruction of the human mind and the amelioration of human conditions and of manners.

What the Weekly has been in its spirit and purpose, as these have been manifested principally in its editorial pages, it will continue to be.

It is impossible to announce with precision all that the Weekly will contain during the year 1897. It were as easy to announce what is about to happen in the world, what triumphs for good government are to be won, what advances of the people are to be made, what is to be the outcome of the continuous struggle between the spirits of war and peace, what is to happen in the far East, what is to be the state of Europe twelve months hence, what new marvels of science are to be revealed, or what are to be the achievements of arts and letters, for the Weekly is to be a pictorial record of all this.

Cartoons will continue to be a feature.

Serial Stories. A New England story, by Miss Mary E. Wilkins, will begin in January. A tale of a Greek uprising against the Turks, by Mr. E. F. Benson, the author of "Dodo," will follow. A sequel to "The House-Boat on the Styx," by Mr. John Kendrick Bangs, illustrated by Mr. Peter Newell.

More Short Stories will appear in the Weekly than it has been possible to publish during 1896. Departments: Mr. W. D. Howells' "Life and Letters" have been among the most charming features of periodical literature; Mr. E. S. Martin, and others will contribute. [illegible]

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FOR RENT—Brick store No 1[illegible] Broad [illegible] corner [illegible] formerly occupied by [illegible] Apply to CHARLES H BARTLETT

FOR SALE—House lots on Ohio [illegible] Jackson Montgomery Leighton [illegible] and Grant streets [illegible]

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted lost found to let [illegible] not exceeding four lines 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not [illegible] regular advertising rates will be charged.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

ANNUAL CONCLAVE ST. JOHN'S COMMANDERY.

The annual conclave of St John's Commandery K [illegible] for choice of officers and [illegible] properly come before said conclave will be opened in its asylum Monday evening, Jan 4 1897 at 7 30 o'clock

JOHN H STONE Recorder

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ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS

Against the City

The Committee on Accounts and Claims of the City Government will be in session on the first [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] o'clock [illegible] purpose of auditing bills against the city [illegible]

CHARLES H CLASS Chairman

THE ANNUAL MEETING

of the Managers of the Bangor Children's Home will be held in Room No 2 City Hall on TUESDAY Jan [illegible] at [illegible] o'clock

SUSAN A BROWN Secy

CITY OF BANGOR. WATER RATES

are now due TEN PER CENT will be added after Jan 20 [illegible] Office open evenings from Jan [illegible] to [illegible]

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LOCAL MATTERS.

The winter term of the public schools will begin next Monday.

The winter term of Miss Jenny P Roberts' Kindergarten opens on Monday, January 4th.

The meeting of the Associated Charities will be held at the Y M C A building to-day at 2 30 p m

We have received a handsome calendar from W C Spaulding, the well known hardware dealer of Caribou

Many of the college boys who have been at home for the Christmas holidays left Friday noon on their return to college

Mrs E J Littlefield, of Boston, formerly of Bangor, died yesterday in Boston, aged 7[illegible] Mrs Littlefield was highly esteemed

The annual conclave of St John's Commandery, Knights Templar will be held Monday evening January 4th, at Masonic Hall at 7 30 o clock

A Christian Endeavor prayer meeting will be held Monday evening at 7 30 at the Crosbyville chapel Mr A H Black will assist at this meeting

This evening Miss Grace Chamberlain will read Dickens' "A Tale of Two Cities" at the Y M C A for the benefit of the King's Daughters Union A most enjoyable event is expected

Mr C N McGillis, of this city is acting as mail clerk on the route between Belfast and Burnham for a few days in place of Mr H M Prentiss, who with his wife, is visiting in Bangor and vicinity

Aroostook Times,—The announcement that Pullen's orchestra of Bangor, consisting of twelve pieces, has been engaged for the military ball on Feb 11, will be received with pleasure by those who were so much delighted with the music last year

Officers Bowen, Kenide, Barnes and Davis raided yesterday afternoon a room over Arthur I Hopkins' store on Exchange street where gambling was going on Eight men were in the room and several packs of cards were secured No arrests have been made as yet

Messrs M P Cates and B C Reynolds of Morse & Co have returned from Lynn, Mass, where they went to figure on the interior work of the new postoffice to be erected there Thirty-five or forty concerns are after the job They came from various parts of the country

The managers of the Knights of Columbus' operatic entertainment, "The Bride of Seville," to be given in the Opera House on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of next week have secured the services of Mr G I Whitmar, cellist who will be a member of the orchestra upon that occasion

The many friends of Mrs G M Taylor will be pained to learn of her death which took place on Friday Mrs Taylor was highly esteemed and the family will have the sympathy of all in their bereavement Her age was 61 years 5 months and 19 days The funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p m

Mr James I Forrest arrived home on Friday Mr Forrest is advance agent of "The Gorman" who are presenting the comedy "The Gilhooleys Abroad" They will be seen in this city on Monday, January 11 One of Charles Frohman's companies will present "The Prisoner of Zenda" at the Opera House on January 7th

Mr Sarah A Hinckley, widow of Lorenzo Hinckley, died peacefully yesterday at her home on Harlow street. All of her children were with her, Mrs. Flora F Haines, of this city, John H Hinckley, Esq, of Boston, and Lewis F C Hinckley Esq of Denver Much sympathy will be extended them in their bereavement

The remains of Mrs Anna French Feeney arrived in Bangor Friday at 1 30 p m and were taken to the undertaking rooms of Mr Adelbert P Chick on Park street Friends of the deceased who wish may view the remains at Mr Chick's rooms between 10 and 11 a m, today, after which a private burial will take place at Mt Hope

Frank Capise, a well known Indian guide in the Maine woods, was in the city Friday on business He has camps on the Allegash waters He believes that there are more moose in Maine at present than there ever were before and thinks that if open time is made on this game for the month of November only it will not be for the best interests of the State

Mr Charles S Pearl attended a meeting this week of the board of trustees of the Insane Hospital, of which he is a member, Ex Gov Robie was re-elected president of the board, and Gen F B Shepherd, secretary The standing committees will be the same as last year and also the same monthly and quarterly committees Rev J M Wyman of Augusta, will be retained as chaplain of the institution

Belfast Journal We are very fortunate in being able to present in full the able and scholarly address of Rev George W Field, D D, delivered last Tuesday evening It was specially fitting that Mr Field should have been selected for a part he is specially fitted to perform—intellectually, by associations, and because, although adorning the pulpit of another city, he has never been out of touch with the place where he was born and where he has ever commanded love and respect

Several changes will be made among the employes of the American Express company in this State to take effect January 1 These changes will not impair the efficiency of the service rendered by the company but will tend to concentrate the work which will be done by fewer men than heretofore One messenger will run daily between Portland and Farmington, instead of two as heretofore, and a messenger will be taken from the Portland Skowhegan run. Few changes will be made in the local employes

The Katahdin Orchestral Club held their anniversary recital last evening rendering the following programme Selection, "Ben Hur Chariot Race," waltz, "Anniversary," Serenade, violin solo, Robert Drummond, "Tabasco" march, piano solo, G W. Larsen; "The Handicap," two step, caprice, "The Robin's Return," piano duet, Messrs. Larsen and Lord, march "El Capitan," "Pride of the Army" The newly elected officers are President, E. W. Larsen, vice president, Phil M. Wiggin; secretary, F. S Clewley; treasurer, Ralph P. Lord, director and manager, Adelbert W. Sprague, clerk, Robert R Drummond.

Mr. F. J. Eaton, was in the city Thursday on his way to Boston after a visit with his parents in Winn

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Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

ANOTHER PROPOSITION

Made by Parker & Peakes for a Shoe Factory Here

On the Same Terms as Those of the Boston Company.

The committee of the City Government on the proposed shoe factory met at the Bangor House on Friday morning to hear other propositions upon the new shoe factory Mr C S Pearl, president of the board of trade, Mr G W Parker, Mr John Parker, and Mr Henry Peakes, of Parker & Peakes, the Bangor shoe manufacturers, and their attorney, C F Woodard, Esq, were present

Mr Woodard spoke for Parker & Peakes and said that the Parker & Peakes firm would be glad to take the new factory to be built by the city for the shoe firm, that they would double their business and do all that anybody else would do They merely wanted to have equal terms with others, though they felt that they should really be entitled to the preference, other things being equal

Mr Woodard said that his clients would take the factory as the Boston firm had proposed to occupy it—in readiness to put in the machinery as they would put in as good machinery as it would be possible to obtain

In reply to a question, Mr G W Parker stated that his company has been working at a disadvantage for some time They make two grades of goods, which should be manufactured separately. An enlargement of business has been in contemplation for some time Mr Parker said that if another firm should come in and occupy the Hampden road shop offered to the Boston firm he could not put in a new factory of his own His firm had to have railway conveniences and [illegible], some years ago, when the present factory on Oak street was built tried to buy the lot on Main street where the new factory is to be built

No enlargement can be made on the present site, for lack of room and, too, the lack of railway conveniences

Mr Peakes said that the Boston firm would make the same shoe that was being turned out by Parker & Peakes, and that the result would be detrimental Parker & Peakes and the Jones people have been in competition in the market for two McKay [illegible] and the Goodyear welt shoe, which are made by both firms

Mr Parker says that he should hesitate before enlarging his business after the Jones people come here The new factory would probably double the Parker & Peakes business The number of employes ought to be doubled

During the past year 150 people have found employment in the present factory

The mayor stated the proposition of the Boston firm which has been given in the Whig Mr Parker stated that that proposition was satisfactory to him and to the other member of his firm

Mr Woodard said that the firm would not guarantee a certain amount of business, but that the machinery would be put in and the plant operated

President Pearl of the Board of Trade said that that body was not at all opposed to the new factory As far as he knew the members of the Board were favorable to any movement for the growth of Bangor The Board would gladly co-operate with the city officials and with all other persons interested in bringing any new industry to Bangor Mr Pearl spoke of the starting of Parker & Peakes in Bangor and the early trade He thought that the city could make more satisfactory arrangements with a local firm than with one of a foreign nature

Mr Parker could not promise that the factory would be run on full time constantly, as work depended on sales, but his firm could give as good a guarantee as any firm

Mr Pearl told of the history of Parker & Peakes who started in Dedham years ago They moved to Brewer and thence to Bangor, on Pine street Four years later they moved to Exchange street in the Ayer building, where they remained until they built and entered their new Oak street factory A year ago they made an addition 40 feet square to the factory.

Mr Woodard made the proposition of Parker & Peakes in the form of a letter to the committee as follows

Bangor, January [illegible], 1897,

To the Committee of the City Government on Shoe Factory

The undersigned, Parker & Peakes of said city, respectfully ask to be considered as applicants for the use of the proposed shoe factory under consideration

If a building can be constructed substantially as outlined in the discussion before your committee and published as indicated they will take such building for a term of five years, equip it with modern machinery, enlarge their business, and operate such new factory to the fullest extent possible under prevailing business conditions

In making this proposition we do not propose to suspend or curtail our business now carried on in our own factory, but to extend and enlarge our business, so as to effectually use the new factory and employ additional help therein to the extent of its capacity

In making this proposition, we understand that we are to have the use of the factory for a term of five years without rent and at the expiration of the time to have the preference upon equal terms for the future use of the factory.

No exemption or abatement of taxation is asked for or expected

Parker & Peakes

Our Own Folks and Other Folks

Mr A G Chambers, of Haynesville is in the city

Mr W D. Porter, of Castine was in the city yesterday

Mr O H Buzzell, of Amherst, was in the city yesterday at the Windsor

Dr. G. M Woodcock has been in Boston for the past day or two on business

Mr F C Barker, of Camp Bemis, Rangeley Lakes, was in the city Friday

Misses Annie J Smith and Agnes A Lord, of Ellsworth were in the city yesterday

Mrs George Cutler, of Boston, who has been visiting here, left for home Friday noon

Miss Mary C Fogler, of Rockland, is the guest of Miss Clara Chapman at the Bangor House

Mrs John H. Mason left on the noon train Friday to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Almon Eldridge, of Etna.

Miss Evelyn Waxam, of Baltimore, has been visiting at the residence of Mr George W. Parker, on Union street, for a few days

Mr. Eben C Webster of Orono, leaves this evening for New York, from which place he sails on Tuesday on the Columbia for Alexandria. After a trip up the Nile he will visit Europe

S. A Aprahamian has gone to Dexter to supply the Congregational pulpit The pastor of the church, Rev. W E Mann, and Mr. Aprahamian were classmates in the Bangor Theological Seminary.

New Advertisements

Fine fancy groceries at Thompson & Kellogg's.

Delicious candy cheap today at Eaton's.

24 cent day at Freese's

Fine lamps at P. H. Vose & Co.'s.

Special candy sale today at Caldwell Sweet's.

Everything the best at Pickett's market.

See Tyler, Fogg & Co's notice.

Fine watches and jewelry at Allan P. Trask's.

Small wares and novelties at Sargent's, 17 Main street.

See what H. N. Fairbanks says on life insurance.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Make Estimates of $40 000 for the Coming Year—New Commissioner L C Whitten Begins His Duties

On Friday morning the Board of County Commissioners met in their room at the Court House building and organized Mr Andrew Hammond, of Milford, the oldest member in time of service was chosen chairman and Mr L C Whitten, of Carmel, the new member, became one of the board

Mr Hammond has been a member of the board for four years Mr Hammond was born in Lincoln He has always lived in the county, eight years in Newport six years in Patten and 19 years in Milford He was brought up as a farmer and has done much exploring in the lumber forests of Penobscot, Somerset and Aroostook counties, and has conducted some lumbering operations Mr Hammond has been chairman of the board of selectmen in Patten and has been a member of the board in Milford He has always been a Republican He is a man of much ability

Mr Whitten was born in Etna the son of Jefferson Whitten He is a well known and prominent merchant of Carmel He was a member of the last House of Representatives and served there with much credit to himself and to his constituents

Mr William I Leavitt of Newport, remains a member of the board Mr Leavitt was a member of the State House of Representatives in 1891 and is a man of much experience and ability

The commissioners on Friday made the following estimates for the coming year

County Estimates for 1897

Penobscot ss

Estimates of County Commissioners of Penobscot County for the sums necessary to defray the expenses and pay the indebtedness of said County, which have accrued and may accrue for each of the years of 1897 and 1898

Water [illegible]	[illegible]
Care of county buildings	[illegible]
Serving [illegible]	[illegible]
Law Library Association	[illegible]
State [illegible] agent	[illegible]
Salary of Judge of Probate	[illegible]
Salary of Register of Probate	[illegible]
Salary of Clerk of Courts	[illegible]
Salary of Register of Deeds	[illegible]
Salary of Judge of Bangor Municipal Court	[illegible]
Salary of Clerk of Bangor Municipal Court	[illegible]
Salary of County Commissioners	[illegible]
Salary of County Treasurer	[illegible]
Fees of constables for serving venires	[illegible]
Rent of Court Room Bangor Municipal Court	[illegible]
Blank books stationery [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Repairs on county buildings	[illegible]
Board of prisoners	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Miscellaneous bills	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Court [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Court	[illegible]
Bills [illegible] County Co[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]
Deduct [illegible]	[illegible]
	$40 000

Having taken into consideration the present financial condition we recommend the sum of $19 000 as the least sum that should be assessed for 1897 and a like sum of $10 0[illegible] for 1898 to meet the county expenses those years

W I Wood

Andrew Hammond,

Wm I Leavitt,

County Commissioners for Penobscot County

On Friday Clerk of Courts Charles I Sweet began to look over the accounts of the commissioners The board will meet again on Tuesday January 12th, for their first regular meeting

AMUSEMENTS

Robert Mantell

Robert Mantell, the famous actor of the romantic drama and his excellent company began his Opera House engagement yesterday afternoon presenting "Monbars," a well known play, which is of great interest from beginning to end and which gives plenty of opportunity for effective acting Mr Mantell and his finely chosen support fully give to the requirements of the play and bring out its many strong points with remarkably good success

Mr Mantell's "Monbars" was splendidly portrayed, His fine presence graceful action and rich, deep voice added to his thorough histrionic ability and most intelligent conception of the role, make his portrayal a very strong one in every way His work was heartily appreciated by the audience, which never flagged in its interest and gave several curtain calls

Miss Behrens is splendidly qualified by nature study and experience to be the leading lady of the company and this was again demonstrated yesterday by her portrayal of Diane The role was charmingly taken and she shared the honors with Mr Mantell Miss Marcelli, Miss Minnie Monk Mr Dentthrone, Mr I N Hoyt and Mr F A Eberle were all well adapted to their roles and gave a well balanced support

In the evening "The Face in the Moonlight" was the play and it was attended by a fair sized audience which was most enjoyably entertained by the fine presentation As in all of Mr Mantell's performances close attention was paid to details of costuming and setting so that the presentation was complete in its effect The play is a strong one in construction and contains many impressive situations

Mr Mantell assumed a dual role "Victor Ambrose" and "Jacques Ferrand" and showed a most artistic versatility He was powerful in both roles and received the admiration of the audience for his excellent work throughout the evening

Miss Behrens had the role of "Lucelle Munier" and acted it with a high degree of perfection The support in all cases was very capable and efficient

This afternoon "The Face in the Moonlight" will be repeated and in the evening "Othello" will be presented Mr Mantell and his strong company deserve immense audiences and they should have them

'The Bride of Seville'

The following clipping from the Manchester Union of November 8 1896, is a portion of the criticism of "The Bride of Seville," when it was produced in that city It is from the pen of Mr. Taylor, whose comic opera, 'Capt Kidd' is now being rehearsed by the Bostonians for immediate production

"The libretto makes little pretension to classic form On the other hand it is happily free from the coarse jokes and inanities of the professional librettist The story is simple, but it is coherent and it has a natural climax, it does not decrease in interest from a point midway as is so often the case

"The dialogue is entertaining and the lyrics are uniformly acceptable, several of them are exceptionally clever The music is very pleasing. It is out of the conventional and is tuneful throughout The Irish colleen song has the 'rale old Irish flavor' and the ding, dong, chorus is as bright a bit of writing as one often hears The orchestration is extremely dainty and is full but judicious"

The advance sale of tickets opens this morning and the indications are that Mr. Owen and his assistants will have all they can attend to The opera will be given at the Opera House next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

THE TEMPERATURE

Atmospheric Conditions as Shown by Methodical Observations.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's Pharmacy:

	Barometer.	Thermometer
Jan 1, [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

BANGOR HOUSE BALL.

Brilliant Assemblage and Very Enjoyable Party Given by Mr and Mrs H A Chapman and Miss Chapman

For several weeks the society people have been awaiting with much impatience the reception and ball to be given by Mr and Mrs Harry A Chapman and Miss Clara Chapman at the Bangor House and the realization last evening was quite in accord with the rosy views held by those who were favored with a bid to the brilliant function No such gathering has been known in this city for years, surpassing any like undertaking The elegant private apartments of the family on the ground floor and all the first floor of the new part of the hotel and the large dining rooms were thrown open for the use of the guests

Those who did not dance found card rooms open for them and those who neither danced nor played cards found pleasant conversational rooms for their use A room was set apart for the smokers and in the halls were couches, divans and cosy corners The decorations were elaborate, artistic and very handsome making the dining and other rooms bowers of beauty Mr [illegible] H Mosley the well known Bucksport florist, decorated the house and his excellent taste was shown in all the arrangements The dining room where the dancing took place was festooned with laurel, smilax and other green growth with flowers used tastefully on the green background

A graceful evergreen portiere hung between the two sections of the room, and there were banks of flowers and green at intervals A brief description is insufficient to do justice to the decorations

The guests entered by the family's private apartments on the ground floor and there left their wraps They were cordially received at the head of the dining room by Mr and Mrs Chapman and Miss Chapman the ushers being the following gentlemen Messrs Eben C Webster James I Dunning, W W Palmer Henry C Stetson R H Palmer Frank Hight Carl P Dennett John R Lyon, Storer W Thaxter

Pullen's orchestra were stationed in the addition to the dining room and played dreamy waltzes, rollicking two steps and inspiring music which was a delight to the ear The famous organization never played better and won new laurels People were rendered of their good for one in having such a fine orchestra here

Delicious refreshments were served throughout the evening which prevented crush or delay in serving the guests The viands were of the most tempting and the service was excellent

A very pleasing scene was presented in the dining room with the beautiful and rich gowns of the ladies whose costumes were greatly admired Bangor ladies have made a name for themselves in the matter of dress and it was fully sustained if not added to last evening

Dancing was continued until morning and those who did not dance passed pleasant hours in other ways Departure was a regret for the occasion had given great pleasure to all and universal expression of pleasure were heard The Chapman reception and ball will be long remembered

Many were present from out of town and the guests included Miss Field of Boston, Miss Simonton and Miss Fogler of Rockland, who are visiting Miss Chapman

Sunday Services

Christian Science service Small hall city building Sunday at 10 30 a m

Crosbyville Union chapel—Sunday school at 2 30 p m Preaching by Mr A H Black at 3 30

Universalist Church—Rev E L Pember pastor 10 30 a m, preaching by the pastor [illegible] Sunday school [illegible] observance of the Holy Communion

Ivy L [illegible] Kinsley will address the meeting at the Y M C A next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock There will be a good lot of music and lot of good music All men will be cordially welcome

St John's Episcopal church—Rev John McGaw Foster, rector—Litany [illegible] and holy communion 10 30 a m Sunday school 12, evening prayer and address 7 p m [illegible]

Advent Christian church corner of Center and Cumberland streets George M Little pastor 10 a m prayer meeting, 11 a m, Sunday school After noon service omitted on account of the funeral of Mrs G M Taylor Sermon at 7 p m

First Baptist church Rev A F Kingsley, pastor Morning worship at 10 30 pastor will preach 12 Sunday school 4 p m observance of Lord's supper 6 30 Y P S C E, 7 30 evening worship, pastor will preach, male quartet will sing

Central Congregational church, French street Rev John S Penman pastor Morning worship at 10 30 sermon by the pastor Sabbath school at 12, sacrament of the Lord's supper at 3, evening service with special music at 7 o'clock, Y P S C E at 6 o'clock

Independent Congregational Society, corner of Union and Main streets Rev S C Beach, pastor Service at 10 30 a m Subject, "Shakespeare as a Religious Poet" Young people's union at 7 p m Address by Mr Henry K White, subject "Common Sense Way of Studying the Bible"

Second Baptist church Columbia street Rev G. B Ilsley pastor Sermon at 10 30 by the pastor singing, by a chorus choir led by Prof Quarmly at the morning service Sunday school at 12 m the Lord's supper will be observed at 3 00, Junior Union service at 3 30, Baptist Young People's union service at 6 30 union praise and Gospel service at 7 30

First M E church Rev H F Fosse pastor Morning service at 10 30, sermon by the pastor and baptism of new members, communion service at 11 30, Sabbath school at 12 meeting of the Junior Endeavor society at 4, consecration service of the Y P S C E, at 6 [illegible] general praise and prayer service at 7 p m

First Congregational church Broadway—Rev Charles H Cutler, pastor 10 30, worship sermon by the pastor Ian Maclaren's Life Creed followed by the communion service, 12, Sunday school, 6 30 A Mission Tour Around the World First in a series of talks to young people, illustrated by the stereopticon Subject Turkey (Armenia), 8, Y P S C E

Hammond street Congregational church Rev. Henry I Griffin, pastor, 10 30, preaching by the pastor, communion before the preaching service, 12 Sunday school, 6 45 Y P S C E meeting, 7 30 popular people's praise service, chorus choir, violin solo with short address "What will you do with the New Year?" Mr R J Sawyer will play a violin solo and there will be special music by the choir

Essex street Free Baptist church—Rev C G Mosher, pastor Preaching service at 10 30 sermon by the pastor, Sabbath school at 11 45, pastor's Bible class at 12, Junior's meeting at 3 30 p m, A C F prayer meeting at 6 15, evangelistic service at 7 15 Subject of morning sermon, "A Principle for the New Year that will Bring the Highest Success"

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Whether [illegible]
And don the bloomers [illegible] thus with [illegible]
In public [illegible] is equal now
And boldly [illegible] challenge all who pass
To criticise the mannish [illegible] the loss of girlish grace
Or to cling to petticoats [illegible]
For of a surety there [illegible] formed
To go [illegible]
But [illegible]
To [illegible]
Or to [illegible]
Bent on [illegible] of the highways [illegible]
If [illegible] to think on it
Still [illegible] girls [illegible]
I'll do it [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
And thus I [illegible]
—New York [illegible]

A DEADLY OCCUPATION

Bringing Out Borax from the Hills In Death Valley

The deadliest occupation for men or horses is teaming in the borax fields of Death valley of the great American desert There the least [illegible] in the world are employed [illegible] declare that the fierce heat [illegible] the cracked surface of the earth is not equaled elsewhere in the world Where the thermometer often registers 140 degrees of heat unrelieved by even a breath of air [illegible] sleep at night in hollow [illegible] filled with water [illegible] to avoid lying from collapse, the necessity for the longest teams of multiple horses ever harnessed to draw the great borax laden wagons is apparent

The desert team is the longest in the world and the percentage of deaths among the horses is greater than that of domestic animal used in any other calling, Forty to 60 horses are often hitched to one of the lumbering vehicles in which the borax is slowly dragged across the [illegible] alkali plains The average life of [illegible] the stricken horses [illegible] this work is six months for in this length of time they either become broken wind [illegible] from inhaling the deadly dust of the desert or are driven crazy by the frightful heat

A man [illegible] protected by the wagon [illegible] from the sun's rays cannot go an hour without water with the outside danger of death When a team breaks down [illegible] the water supply [illegible] comes depleted [illegible] top speed for the next source of supply and [illegible] that [illegible] by thirst [illegible] and [illegible] death in the desert

The borax [illegible] weigh 8 000 pounds [illegible] carry [illegible] 000 pounds [illegible] load [illegible] tank containing [illegible] gallons of water The [illegible] train [illegible] the next [illegible] while the [illegible] are hitched [illegible] front of [illegible] During the busy season the [illegible] horses [illegible] make [illegible] 100 miles long

Besides [illegible] burning sand After [illegible] labor the [illegible] are unfit for service [illegible] their agony [illegible] tures.—Chicago [illegible]

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PORTLAND [illegible]

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BOSTON [illegible]

FOREIGN PORTS

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CHARTERS

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In [illegible] Dec 31 at [illegible] by Rev Geo [illegible] Mr Ernest D [illegible] of Bangor and Miss [illegible]

DIED.

In [illegible] Jan 1 [illegible] Taylor, wife of Geo M Taylor aged 61 years 5 mo [illegible] days Funeral Sunday [illegible] o'clock

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The Face in the Moonlight

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MONDAY EVENING, JAN 4

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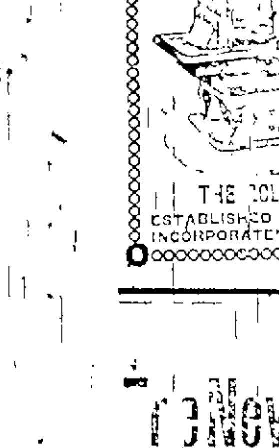

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